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Back to an Iowa Farm From the Biggest Railroad Job in the World

William C. Brown, Head of the New York Central, Who Started as a Section Hand 44 Years Ago, When Passenger Cars Were Lighted With Candles and There Wasn't a Steel Rail in Existence, Will Devote the Rest of His Life to Educating Farmers to Increase the Yield of Their Land.

He Believes This Country Is on the Eve of Its Greatest Agricultural and Manufacturing Development, and Pleads for Higher Freight Rates for Railroads so That Transportation May Keep Pace With Production.



WILLIAM C. BROWN

"WHAT we want to do is to impress on the farmer's son the undeniable fact that he is engaged in the most important work in the world, a work that has as great possibilities for profit as any other that he could take up; that is necessary to the welfare of the entire nation. And then teach him, at the same time, how to do that work intelligently."—WILLIAM C. BROWN.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.

BACK to Iowa, at the end of the year, goes William C. Brown, president of the great New York Central Railroad system. On January first next he becomes a plain citizen of the State he calls home.

From the very pinnacle of America's railroad life to the quiet of a little mid-Western town where he has a farm is a transition like that of Cincinnatus from Rome to the plow.

William C. Brown, today, at the age of 60, president of the New York Central system, becomes tomorrow William Brown, missionary to the farmers, and starts life over again, not merely in occupation, but in age, for he throws off 20 years in feeling the day he lays down the burdens of the biggest railroad job in the world.

From the windows of his workshop office in the Grand Central Terminal you can look out over miles of railroad track and a magnificent system of rails, switches, electrical installation and railroad equipment, centering in that wonderful structure known as the Grand Central Station. It cost many millions of dollars. It typifies the apotheosis of railroad genius.

But President Brown wants to see the grass and the corn grow. He longs for the green fields instead of the barren track yards. So, after 44 years of marvelously successful life in the railway world, attaining the highest honors it has to offer, he has resolved to retire. He is going back to the farm, making it the end as well as the beginning of his career.

President Brown has not definitely mapped out his plan of missionary campaign. Between now and the first of the year, he said, he would arrange that, but he has some very definite ideas about the work to be done for the nation and the general lines along which he intends to operate, which he expressed as follows:

Farmer's Opportunity and Solemn Duty as It Is Seen by Him

"WE have been for a century and a half recklessly exploiting the natural resources of a continent.

"Our agriculture has been a process of half farming, until land began to show conditions of exhaustion, and then moving on and taking up new land further West. Now the land further West to be had for the asking is gone.

"During the past ten years our farms have produced an average annual yield of less than fourteen bushels of wheat per acre, while Germany produces 28 and the United Kingdom 32.

"Unless production can be immediately and powerfully stimulated within five years consumption of foodstuff in this country will have overtaken production.

"In the light of present high prices for farm products the abandoned and impoverished farms of the Eastern states and the half-cultivated farms of the West seem utterly incomprehensible and inexcusable.

"Consumption is overtaking production with alarming rapidity, and values have been rising by leaps and bounds.

"Gradually improved methods will increase the yield per acre of the nation's farms, but the supply will never again catch up with the demand.

"After long years of discouraging struggle the farmer has come into his own and his prosperity will increase with years.

"Population must continue to increase, but large increase in the area of arable land is a thing of the past.

"Consumption increased in the past ten years almost three times as fast as acreage and almost twice as fast as production.

We Are Trustees of the Land for Generations to Come

"NO danger which has ever confronted a nation compares with the danger which comes from an inadequate food supply.

"Herein lies the farmer's marvelous opportunity and his solemn duty.

"We are trustees holding this land as a sacred trust for generations yet unborn.

"I would make our agricultural colleges and the agricultural departments of all colleges in fact what they are in name by limiting admission to young men who want to study and school themselves in scientific agriculture for the purpose of becoming first-class farmers, thoroughly equipped for and vitally interested in that most honorable profession.

"I would double our rural population and more than double the product of the nation's farms.

"The United States is building two or three great battleships almost every year, which cost, fully equipped, perhaps an average of nine million dollars each, and it costs close to a million a year each to man, supply and maintain them.

"What one of these fighting machines costs the Government would establish and fully equip two splendid experimental farms of 640 acres each in every state in the Union, to be operated by the general Government.

"They would soon be followed by 160-acre farms owned and operated by the State in every county in our great agricultural states.

"Such farms, once established, would not only be self-sustaining, but in my opinion would show a handsome profit. The effect of such a system of practical education upon the product and profit of the nation's farms would be almost beyond comprehension.

"We Must Increase Production Through Intelligent Methods"

"LET the Government invest the price of one battleship in this important work and follow the investment up intelligently and perseveringly for 10 years, and the value that will have been added to each year's crops of the nation's farms will buy and pay for every battleship in all the navies of the world today.

"We must increase production by more intelligent methods or we must face the relentless certain coming of the day when we shall not produce food enough to supply our own necessities."

"Yes," he said, in answer to a question, "I remember very well when I commenced work as a railroader. It was in the latter part of June, 1869, and a mighty hot June day at that. I was 16 years old then, plowing corn on a farm out in Northern Iowa. It was a big field to plow; the sun beat down with broiling rays, and the horses sweated their way between the long rows as I guided them and bore down on the plow.

"At one end the big field ran up close against the railroad and when I got there I stopped to let the horses rest and to catch a breath of air for myself. Outside on the rails, was a section foreman, A. J. Leach, and his gang at work. He looked up and saw me wiping my forehead. After a single glance he said:

"'Young man, how would you like to go to railroading?'

"'I'd like it mighty well,' I replied.

"'All right,' said Leach, 'report for work next Monday morning and start in.'

"I did report the following Monday morning, and went to work," Brown continued with a smile. "I've been right at it ever since, and for the last three or four years I've been looking for a gap in the fence, so I could get back from the rails to the farm again."

When young Brown went to work in 1869, agriculture was perhaps the least attractive and the least profitable of any business in the world. Only four years had elapsed since the close of the Civil War. Hundreds of thousands of men had been suddenly converted from the most extravagant consumers into producers. Millions of acres of land were open for practically free entry in Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska and the two Dakotas.

"At the same time," Brown continued, "while agriculture was perhaps the least important business in the country, at that particular juncture transportation was the most important. A great tide of population was sweeping out across the country, settling down in successive regions, tilling the soil and growing produce of all kinds. And yet the products of the soil were almost valueless excepting such part as the farmer's family alone could consume, for the very good reason that there was no way to transport the surplus to market.

"Today the situation is exactly reversed, so far as concerns the value of agricultural products. Here we are paying 60 cents and more for a dozen eggs, with everything else in proportion. Our manufacturing and mercantile business have grown on such a mighty scale that the armies employed in them cannot be supplied with food in sufficient quantities by those engaged in agriculture. Today farming is the most important business in the country; the most important subject to which a man can turn his attention is improved agriculture, and if we are to prosper as a nation farmers everywhere will have to learn how to make two blades of grass grow where they and their fathers were content to grow one blade.

"Let me illustrate what I mean by a personal example. When I was a boy working on a farm in Northern Iowa the nearest market we had was in a town called McGregor, 75 miles away. We didn't send our grain to market by loading it into freight cars close at hand in those days. Not by a good deal.

Why Farming in the Old Days Was So Unprofitable

"WHAT we did, and every other farmer in that part of the State, was to load our products into wagons and haul them by teams from the farm to McGregor, 75 miles, over ordinary country roads. We put two bushels of wheat into a bag that cost the farmer 80 cents, and when he had hauled the wheat 75 miles to market he received just 40 cents per bushel for it—the price of the bag. Then he turned around and drove home, a return trip of 75 miles.

"As for such things as poultry, butter and eggs, they had no value whatever, excepting for the farmer's own table, because they would not stand the crude method of transportation by wagon. The roads we had simply ran across the prairies, connecting one settlement with another. The farms were crudely cultivated; the buildings were crude; the farmers were poor, and their wives and children too often were hopelessly discouraged.

"Today the same country is filled with splendid farms, owned by well-to-do farmers, and dotted with towns and villages having the highest order of civilization and culture. Today the farmer does not have to make a journey of 150 miles to market and back home; his market is right at his door, and the prices he receives average double those of former days.

"When I went to work on the railroad in 1869, at a little station called Chickasaw, I don't think there was such a thing as a steel rail in existence. Neither was there an airbrake nor an automatic coupler nor a block signal. The largest freight car had a capacity of 10 tons; passenger trains were controlled by hand brakes; the first transcontinental railroad in the United States had just been completed.

"In my first railroad job I was paid $1 a day, and at that time passenger conductors were paid about $80 a month, with no extras of any kind, and brakemen received $42.50 a month. Today conductors average from $175 to $200 a month and brakemen from $90 to $125, while engineers have risen in the same ratio.

"Another thing to be remembered was that all of us were on duty as long as necessary, without extra pay. Men in all classes of service worked much longer hours than they do now.

Passenger Coaches of Those Days Were Exceedingly Crude

"THE passenger cars of those days would seem strange to the traveler at present. There was no such thing as steam heat in them, of course, and at night they were lighted by candles, for oil lamps had not then come to the railroads. Block signals were yet to be in-

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Missionary-Explorer Who Climbed Mt. McKinley

Pictures Alaska as the Loafer's Paradise

Getting a Living Easy for Those Who Don't Care How They Do It

Archdeacon Stuck, One of the Men Who Have Put Dr. Cook in the Ananias Class, Talks Interestingly of Uncle Sam's Subarctic Domain, Where the Deadly Pistol-Toting Habit of Other Mining Communities Is Unknown—Also Tells How Perilously Near to Failure He Was on the Ascension Feat That Has Brought Him Fame.

BY CARLOS F. HURD.

ONE of earth's great stories—perhaps the last one that is left to tell—has been related to St. Louisans the past two days by Archdeacon Hudson Stuck, Episcopal missionary to interior Alaska and climber of Mount McKinley.

Mount McKinley! Where did we hear that name before—before the Archdeacon or his rivel climbers, Prof. Herschel Parker and Belmore Brown, had their day in the magazines and on the lecture platform? Ah yes. It was our old friend, Dr. Frederick A. Cook, author of "My Discovery of the North Pole," who first caused us to hunt up Mount McKinley on our maps, and to argue whether it was likely that anyone ever had climbed it, and particularly whether Dr. Cook, in his prepolar days, had done so.

So, after all, Dr. Cook is entitled to some credit. If he hadn't linked Mount McKinley, which until then was of very little interest to the American public, with the North Pole, which had been quite well exploited before, we might all have been quite content never to know what it was like, or what the facilities for getting to the top were.

Also, it may be remarked, the doctor left Mount McKinley in very much better shape, for subsequent climbers, than he left the North Pole in. He succeeded in mussing up the North Pole affair so that Peary had to take his honors in deferred payments, and with most of gilding rubbed off. But, by convincing the public that he, Cook, had falsified about McKinley, he gave it the best advertising that any mountain ever had since Sinai. And he put the public in a frame of mind to applaud our own Capt. John Berry, who had a plan for reaching the top of the mountain in a balloon; to cheer Parker and Brown, who nearly made it; and finally to admire Stuck, who got there.

Parker and Brown Lucky Not to Have Reached Summit, He Says

PERHAPS by way of returning this favor, Archdeacon Stuck is not talking about Cook in his public addresses, such as those which he made Friday night at the Wednesday Club, and yesterday at the City Club luncheon. He is telling of his own feat, and if anyone wishes to compare his story with Cook's—which, as a matter of fact, it tears all to pieces—why, that is not his worry.

He does talk of Parker and Brown, and credits them with getting to an altitude within 400 feet of the top. And he gave his Wednesday Club audience a thrill when he told how, in his opinion, Parker and Brown would have lost their lives if they had reached the summit.

"The reason that Prof. Parker and Mr. Brown had to turn back," said Archdeacon Stuck, "was that they were out of food. The reason they were out of food was that they had relied on some prepared pemmican which they brought with them from the United States—from somewhere East, I think. When they came to use this pemmican, they found that it had absolutely no food value. Neither one of them could swallow and retain the stuff.

"As they were on their way down, an earthquake shook the mountain. They told of this, as an incident of their experience. Of course, I studied their account of the ascent very carefully, for my own guidance. When I reached the point where they had turned back, I was surprised to find it much different from their description and pictures. Instead of the continuous ridge, there was a chasm, partly filled with snow. Suddenly I realized that this change had been wrought by the earthquake, which had had its most severe effects there, near the summit.

"I then took their accounts of their movements, and figured that, had they gone on to the top, they would have been at that point, on their return, at the time when, according to their observation below, the earthquake occurred. And they would almost certainly have perished. So that worthless pemmican saved their lives."

Party of Miners, Carrying Long Flag Pole Nearly Forestalled Him

HE told, too, of the party of miners who, because they didn't believe the story told by a certain climber (Cook), and because they got the idea that, in some way not very clear, there was a lot of money for somebody in making the ascent, set out in 1910 to climb Mount McKinley, dragging a 14-foot flagpole after them.



ARCHDEACON HUDSON STUCK

Mount Denali, and not Mount McKinley, should be the name of the loftiest of American peaks, Archdeacon Stuck declares. Denali was its Indian name, he argues, and he does not believe there was ever a sufficient reason for changing it.

The adjoining peak, whose height is estimated at 17,000 feet, 3800 less than Denali, was called Denali's wife. The peaks which lay between the two were called Denali's children.

But some enthusiastic Ohioan came along and labeled the higher one Mount McKinley and the lower one Foraker.

With hardly any of the appliances for such a task, the miners succeeded, he declared, in reaching the north pinnacle of Mount McKinley, which, although not so high as the south one, is nearly 20,000 feet high—his estimate of the height of the south summit is 20,800 feet. Furthermore, he said, they could have gone on and made the higher ascent to the south, though they would have had to make another camp in order to do so. In that case, they would have forestalled Stuck.

"The reason they chose the north summit, and were content with having reached it," said the Archdeacon, "was that the north peak was the one visible from the town of Fairbanks, and it was their fond belief that they could set, on that elevation of 20,000 feet, a 14-foot flagpole that would be visible more than one hundred miles away.

"Well, they put up their flagpole, and on their way down, were disgusted to find that it was no longer visible, even to them. They had told the other miners at Fairbanks what they were going to do, and there was much chaffing and skepticism as to their having done what they said.

"I knew these men, and I believed firmly in them. So, though the north peak was not what I was after, I gave instructions to the rest of my party that on our return, we should go to the north peak and look for the flagpole.

But from our regular route, one of my companions, with sharper eyes than mine, saw the pole sticking out of the snow. I then saw it through a glass. So I was very glad to be able, when I got down, to stop the talk which had been heard against these very brave and hardy men, who could have been the first climbers of Mount McKinley if they had gone at it a little differently."

And then the Archdeacon told how, with all his preparations, his caches and camps and dog sleds and provisions carried ahead, so that most of the ground, or snow was covered three times on the ascent, he and his three companions once saw failure seemingly near. This was on the final climb to the summit, June 7 last.

Cold Feet Came Perilously Near Ending the Expedition

"OUR feet, though incased in layers of thick woolen socks, had become insensible. This condition was the most serious we had found in the whole ascent. We had to pause for breath at almost every step, and the rarity of the atmosphere made it impossible to make extra exertions merely to keep warm.

"If one of us had said: 'My feet are freezing!' and the words were trembling on the lips of each of us at times, we all would have had to turn about and go back. But, when all sense of feeling seems to have left your feet, it is not easy to tell whether they are freezing or not. So, by a sort of unspoken agreement, each of us decided to give the task at hand the benefit of the doubt. And so we went on to the top."

The top, which is the highest point on the North American continent, was pictured in some rather indistinct photographs, one of which showed an improvised American flag a-flutter, while the next showed the flagstaff converted into a cross, and stuck into the snow. Another picture showed the climbers, in a tent on the summit, making their altitude test with a mercurial barometer, which the Archdeacon had lugged all the way on his back.

"I believed it was going to be broken," he explained, "and I thought it better to break it myself than to have to blame someone else."

Numbed hands were the cause of the photographic defects, the camera man being unable to tell whether the shutter was working properly or not.

In a talk at Schuyler Memorial House last night, and in an interview at the City Club, before his luncheon talk there, Archdeacon Stuck told of interior Alaska and its other activities besides mountain climbing, which was, in his case, only a vacation outing.

"No one knows Alaska as a whole," he said. "Bishop Rowe comes nearer knowing it than any other man I know of. When I speak of Alaska, I mean interior Alaska—of the coast country I have not much intimate knowledge.

Many Lazy Men Flock There Just Because Living Is Easy

"ALASKA is an easy country to get to, if a man doesn't care for style and comfort in travel. There is usually a chance for a man to get there from some Pacific port as deck hand on a boat. It is an easy country to penetrate, along the navigated rivers, in the same fashion. And it is an easy country to live in, in a lazy way. A good many men, who have not enough energy to be miners, have found this out, and live in that lazy fashion there. Some say these men are on the level of the natives. I don't. I have too much respect for the natives.

"A man can locate almost anywhere along the rivers, and can kill game and catch fish enough to supply the needs of himself and the native woman who generally is found attached to such a man, and who does most of the hard work. A little wood, chopped and sold to the steamboats, will furnish the man what money he needs. And these men are the ones who sell liquor to the natives, thus undoing much of the work we try to do, and making new need for missionary work.

"There is a Federal law against selling liquor to the natives, but I believe it has been found here in the states that there is not much good in having a law without the means of enforcement.

"On the American Yukon, 1500 miles long, there are six United States Deputy Marshals, with no telegraphs and no highways between them. The Justices of the Peace, called United States Commissioners, run on a miserable fee system. The law is not enforced."

"On the Canadian Side the Law Is Enforced"

"IS it better in the adjacent British territory?" I asked. The archdeacon, who was born in England, hesitated to reply, perhaps fearing that his words would be taken as the usual British contrasting of law enforcement in the King's domain, with lawlessness on American soil.

"I will say," he answered, "that such a body as the Canadian mounted police would improve conditions in the American territory. On the Canadian side, the law is enforced. The police keep a close watch on all persons entering and leaving the country. When a steamboat starts, the number of men on board is noted and is telegraphed to the next place, and when the boat gets there that number of men must be accounted for. Those with a tendency to lawlessness are closely watched.

"In the Canadian Yukon territory, since its ganization, there have been 13 murders, ar[illegible]

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JOSEPH PULITZER.

April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

MORE FROM THE "PEN'S" INSIDE

By "A PRISONER."

The writer's attention has been called to an article prominently displayed on the front page of Monday's Republic headed "Lurid prison tales of cruelty false, says pardoned man."

The article purports to be written by a man giving his name as "Colson R. Hoyt," pardoned by acting-Gov. Painter on last Saturday upon the urgent recommendation of Warden McClung for valuable service rendered to him and his assistants in the reporting of a dastardly plot of a prisoner or prisoners to effect their escape by seizing an automobile and, if necessary, shooting their way out of the penitentiary.

An analytical study of this story, from facts which the writer will give you herewith—facts which can easily be proven true—will conclusively prove two things: First, that in this, as in other instances proven by the writer in previous letters to you, Warden McClung has deceived the public; and, second, that Hoyt's acting as informer in this alleged attempt to escape had nothing whatever to do with his being pardoned, but that the true reason was that he was willing to act as a tool for Warden McClung and write, or rather sign, the statement prepared for him to sign—a statement which both Hoyt and the Warden positively knew to be untrue. • • •

I would first like to call your attention to the fact that this reputed dastardly attempt at escape occurred more than a year ago, and long before McClung probably thought of being Warden and at least long before he took charge here. How then could Hoyt have been of service to him in this particular? It is true Hoyt did report an attempt to escape on the part of a man by the name of Odell, who was jointly charged and convicted with him for the crime for which both were sent here. Hoyt posed as Odell's friend, yet, deliberately, and with the intent of obtaining his own release by giving his pal away, entered into a ridiculous scheme of escape with him, and then reported him to the officials. Odell was pointed out by Hoyt to Guard James Bohon, and taken to the punishment hall and searched. Two wooden guns—no real weapons—were found on him, and it can be proven by men working with Hoyt, that he himself helped to make them.

This, as stated, occurred more than a year ago, and at the time the whole matter was considered a huge joke by officials and prisoners alike. Hoyt was laughed at when he then made application for parole on the strength of having made the report, but has continued his efforts for release ever since. The facts in this matter certainly have been known to Deputy Warden Gilvin all this time and there is little doubt but that Warden McClung knew all about it, especially as the wooden guns are on show in his office. Guard Bohon can, and the writer is confident will, speak as to the truth of the statements made above, for he is a man that every prisoner in this institution has respect for and implicit confidence in, the exception to the rule, yet one that proves conclusively that a man can be a guard in a penitentiary, allow no rules to be disobeyed or work to be shirked, and yet by the kindliness of his manner and ready sympathy for a human being in distress, so endear himself to his charges, that it is safe to say that there is not man in this institution who would not jump to his assistance were he in any danger.

The writer is informed by men who worked with him, that Hoyt is a man of very limited literary ability, totally unable to write the letter he is said in the Republic to have written, and there is no doubt that the letter was prepared by someone interested for Hoyt to sign.

Now, what really happened? Hoyt is a shrewd man, who saw in the agitation over the brutality practiced in the prison an opportunity to secure his release. He went to Warden McClung and offered to sign any statement he wanted, regardless of whether it might or might not injure his fellow prisoners, providing the Warden secured his pardon. McClung, in his extremity, with the evidence for his total unfitness to govern an institution of this kind piling up against him—his statements, one after another exploded—jumped at the bait, and swallowed it, hook, line and sinker, but, on second thought decided that it would never do to let the real reason for this man's pardon become known, so the old forgotten "Escape Yarn" over which he had had many a hearty laugh, was resurrected to cover the real reason up.

Hoyt and the Warden hob-nobbed for days, before the thing was finally fixed up, and when it was completed and signed, the man was pardoned. He was taken by McClung to his home, wined and dined and introduced to his friends—the Warden had purchased for him an entire new outfit of clothing, paid his hotel bill at the Madison Hotel, kept a prison official at his elbow to see that he did not squeal or go too far, and sent him on his way rejoicing.

As to the letter itself, supposed to have been written by Hoyt, the writer considers it unnecessary to give but cursory comment on its contents. Yet it might be well to touch on one or two points.

The letter states that men objecting to the methods of the present prison administration are criminals, toughs, fearless and desperate men, who must be ruled by an iron hand; that they represent but a very small percentage of the prison population, and that the very large majority are entirely happy under Mr. McClung's wardenship—and are all but heartbroken over the rude things printed against him. I want to nail this statement to the cross at once, and in as emphatic a manner as possible. I say to you, Sir, that it is not the dope fiend; not the trafficker in dope; not the unruly prisoner; not the confirmed and habitual criminal that I represent in writing these letters to you—but the vast majority, representing at least two-thirds of the prison population, who are men who have made mistakes; who regret these mistakes, and who are determined, to, if possible, do their prison terms like men, and to again try to become respectable citizens. To these men, imprisonment itself is sufficient punishment—the separation from these as near and dear to us, as dear ones are to those in the outside world. We do not use dope, and we have no fight with the warden or his assistants in their efforts to eradicate it from the institution, providing they do so in a humane manner, but we have banded ourselves together with a fixed determination that we will never relax our efforts, until the brutality that has and is still being practiced in this institution shall cease.

When we see the Warden resorting to underhand methods in an effort to justify this vile conduct—when again and again, we who are familiar with the facts, read statements he has made which we know to be untrue, is it to be expected that he have hope left that he will remedy the present awful condition of affairs?

We are convinced that nothing but an impartial commission, with sufficient power to guarantee protection to the prisoner, will ever bring out the truth regarding the frightful conditions that exist here. We ask the press and public to arise in their might and see to it that such a commission is appointed at the very earliest date.

We claim that it can be proven that within the past year dozens of men have been brutally whipped, in some instances for minor offenses.

We claim that the Warden is incompetent and is, therefore, unfit to govern this institution.

We claim that a majority of the guards are unfit to have power over other men.

If these statements are true, and some of them have been proven true to you by the writer—the Missouri State Penitentiary should be investigated, and at once. We appeal to you, Mr. Editor, to come to our rescue, and see that its done, and quickly.

THE FRISCO'S FUTURE.

Is the Frisco railroad to be reorganized on the basis of public service or private profit?

We are moved to ask this question on account of the roster of the new Board of Directors elected in November for the purpose of reorganizing the road.

Six of the thirteen directors participated in the Brownsville deal in which several officers and directors, including former President and Chairman of the Board B. F. Yoakum took a leading part.

W. K. Bixby, who has becomingly retired from the new board; B. F. Yoakum and James Campbell were officers of the road when the profitable deals, in which officers were interested, were made. They participated in the profits.

Thomas H. West, who is a receiver and a director of the Frisco, was a member of the Brownsville syndicate which made 75 per cent out of that deal, and the head of the Union Trust Co., which handled the transaction.

James Campbell, A. T. Perkins and S. W. Fordyce, members of the new board, were in the Brownsville deal.

The Post-Dispatch is questioning the methods of the future management of the railroad from the standpoint of the public interests—the quality of service to the public—the vital interest of St. Louis in the conduct of a great railroad system which serves St. Louis and its trade territory.

Every dollar of excess profits in construction and in the sales of "feeder" lines and additions was taken from earnings and resources which should be devoted to improved equipment and service. Every dollar paid out for interest on watered securities, excessive commissions and inside profits should have gone to desirable extensions and improvements, which would have meant efficiency in transportation service—better tracks, better equipment, more trains and better time schedules, greater safety.

The Frisco was well operated. Its earnings were ample under honest and efficient financial direction to have paid handsome profits and supplied sufficient surplus for improvements, which would have made it one of the best railroads in the country.

It was wrecked financially and thrown into bankruptcy by mismanagement and unscrupulous deals which looted its treasury.

It is the past policy of plunder which has hampered the railroad that moves the Post-Dispatch to demand a thorough investigation and a sound reorganization on the basis of the best possible public service, as well as the protection of investors.

It is this policy and its consequences which move us to urge the retirement of the men who profited by "inside" deals in the past, from Receiver West to every syndicate director.

It is the proof of disastrous financial juggling and kiting that moves us to appeal to Congress to adopt legislation for the rigid regulation of railroad financing.

MOCKING THE LAW.

Missouri's prison law, in section 1638, defining the duty of the prison inspectors (Deal, Gordon and Barker) says:

"Such rules only shall be adopted as in their judgment shall conduce to the reformation of the convicts."

Under the rules now in force first offenders are celled with degenerates, and taught new crimes; 1650 convicts are sold into slavery to profit-seeking prison contractors and driven under menace of bodily torture to do daily set heavy tasks; foul housing conditions break down natural instincts of decency and make the prison a tuberculosis factory; prisoners are punished arbitrarily at the nod of a slave-driving contract labor foreman and brutal, ignorant guards; no provision is made for health-giving and spirit-lightening recreation.

Is it the "best judgment" of Messrs. Deal, Gordon and Barker that these conditions "conduce to the reformation of the convicts"?

The fact, whatever they believe, is that such conditions defeat the purpose of the law, and make reformation difficult if not impossible.

RELATIVE VALUES IN HISTORY.

E. C. Ferguson of Chicago renews the old protest about the distortion of relative values in American history. He stoutly insists that the Mississippi Valley has played a more important part in the history of the country than New England and that it should rank higher in the estimation of the historians.

This is equivalent to insisting that men who settled on the seaboard to obtain religious liberty for themselves were actuated by no higher motive than unselfish men who carried religion to red heathen on the interior; that divers explorers taking possession of northern coastline and estuaries in the name of British majesties were not more intrepid and picturesque than La Salle taking possession of the Mississippi in the name of his royal master of France; that Gov. Carver and his Pilgrims landing on Plymouth Rock and laying the foundation of a commonwealth have no greater appeal for us than Le Moyne founding Biloxi and making a beginning of government in the Louisiana empire; that Roger Williams establishing Rhode Island on freedom of conscience earned no greater gratitude from posterity than Father Marquette establishing a mission for Indians at Kaskaskia; that the arrival of John Endicott at Salem was an event not a whit more important than the arrival of Cadillac at Detroit or Pierre Laclede Linguist at St. Louis.

To concede so much is to wrench accepted ideas. Historians are not to blame for basing their own values on the appraisal of general literary values. The national literature was given the direction it has by the touch of moralists, essayists, fictionists, poets and publicists, as well as historians, who were early New Englanders or descendants of early New Englanders. They naturally used the material at their hand, and, while just as interesting early material probably existed in more westerly longitudes, the time when it might be embalmed as effectively in song and story has passed.

It is too late to claim higher rank for the valley. We shall be lucky if it is ever conceded the justice of equal rank.

"STABILITY" UNDER TEXAS LAW.

The defense in a $165,000 misappropriation case in Texas pressed for the dismissal of the indictment because it did not set forth whether the date was 1913 A. D. or 1913 B. C. In fact, there was nothing to show that that year in either of these two eras or in some other era was intended. The motion was peremptorily dismissed by Federal Judge E. R. Meek of Dallas before whom it was argued.

This is a blow at one of the most tenacious of the law's traditions. How did he know the future 1913 year of the Mohammedan era from hegira was not meant? It was an omission of only three letters which the Missouri court held to vitiate a famous indictment. To quash for the omission of only two letters would not be drawing it very much finer, especially as those two letters stand for two words, both longer than the definite article "the." In the language of those who defend the Missouri court, if Judge Meek "has a right to say that the omission of those two initials is not fatally defective," why "has he not a right to say that the omission of all letters, initials, words is also not fatally defective?" If, according to the same defenders, "art, science, law are based on technicalities," he must be inartistic, empiric, illegal.

Technicalities may be very useful, as they say, in preserving individual rights and giving stability to the law. However, the world is coming around to the view that rights that can be preserved only by technicalities are not worth preserving and that such "stability" as they give to the law is not stability at all, but something almost the opposite.

THE DISROBING ACT IN MEXICO.

Mexican dispatches a few days ago told how the Carranza troops surprised and took Juarez because they were mistaken for Federalists, being clad in Federalist uniforms. This suggests that hundreds of Federalists had been made to do the disrobing act before the Juarez surprise. What happened to these Federalists is not known, but no one expects to hear that they got home safe and sound but minus uniforms.

The disrobing act, as practiced in Mexican warfare, is usually performed on the brink of an open grave, into which the star performer falls soon after he has divested himself of his last garment. This, of course, is in the interest of decency, for no right-minded Carranzaist likes to see a lot of Federalists wandering around in the buff, exposed to public gaze.

Stripping their enemies and hiding them as they go, the gentle and humane followers of the noble Carranza may eventually take Mexico City and celebrate the event by disrobing Huerta, with all that such a ceremony implies. To prevent that unpleasantness, it would be well for Huerta to arrange in plenty of time for lodgings in close proximity to the American legation.

MIXING POLITICS AND PHILOLOGY.

The importance Max Muller claimed for philology may gain recognition in practical affairs if the Japanese effort to change the racial classification given them by science succeeds and is made the basis of a revised treaty.

Ambassador Chinda's new negotiations are said to be based on the assertion that his people do not properly belong in the family with the Mongols, Turks, Cossacks and others, but are descended from the great Aryan family from which the Western Europe nations are descended. The only possible way the claim can be determined is by scientific scrutiny of the Japanese language. The land question in consequence may be snatched from the realm of politics and international law and become an academic issue.

"The important point," said Muller, "is to know that there was such a home as our Aryan home and that we can trace the whole intellectual growth of the Aryan family back to the roots which sprang from a common soil, and that we can do this, not by mere guesswork, or theoretically only, but by facts; that is, historically." The Japanese can hardly qualify under the statement. Much guesswork is involved in tracing them back to the Aryan home.

The language has always caused difficulty. It is not like the Chinese. It resembles the Korean in structure, but not in vocabulary. Prof. K. Hirai of Japan and Prof. David Starr Jordan of California have labored to establish the Aryan theory, but the language is generally placed in the Ural-Altaric group rather than in the Indo-European group. Anything that will take the question beyond the Hobson plane is to be welcomed.



RATHER WARM.

JUST A MINUTE.

Written for the Post-Dispatch by Clark McAdams.



SOCRATES ON THE MONROE DOCTRINE AMPLIFIED.

Socrates: Ah, gentlemen! I was just thinking.

Glaucon: I'll warrant you were.

Socrates: Yes. I was just thinking about the Monroe Doctrine and how it is being amplified in these piping times.

Thrasymachus: What do you mean?

Socrates: Up to this time the Monroe Doctrine has meant nothing more than that foreign powers are to keep their hands off American territory.

Glaucon: Exactly.

Socrates: Very well. Now we find it meaning that the Latin-Americans are to maintain a stable form of constitutional government, as well.

Glaucon: True.

Socrates: It was not enough that we should preserve their countries to them. We must see that they make something of them, too.

Thrasymachus: So it seems.

Socrates: They must do as the world does.

Glaucon: Yes.

Socrates: They must have peace.

Glaucon: Good!

Socrates: They must bear their share of the world's burden.

Glaucon: Why not?

Socrates: The Mexican incident has only served to indicate what we consider to be our responsibility in this respect.

Glaucon: That is all.

Socrates: It is a sentiment which has grown among us almost unconsciously.

Glaucon: I dare say.

Socrates: Probably Panama has had something to do with it.

Glaucon: No doubt.

Socrates: Anyway, it has come.

Glaucon: Yes.

Socrates: Mexico is no whit different than any other of these republics.

Glaucon: No.

Socrates: They must all behave.

Glaucon: Yes.

Socrates: They must all develope.

Glaucon: Precisely.

Socrates: Fortunately, there are countries in South America, and even in Central America, which are capable of standing with us in this expectation of American.

Thrasymachus: Truly.

Socrates: They need only to be assured of our sincerity in the matter.

Thrasymachus: That is all.

Socrates: It is a great day for this continent.

Polemarchus: By Jove, yes!

Socrates: I knew you would say so. Now let us all keep silent and see if we can think of something else.

ENGLAND'S FARM CO-OPERATION.

From the Providence Journal.

A movement in England that might well be copied in this country is the formation of Agricultural Organization Societies, not as trading concerns, but for co-operative effort and improvement. On March 31 last there were 473 affiliated societies of this nature in England and Wales, with a total membership of 45,000. The society enables farmers to purchase feeding stuffs on favorable terms, and the dairy farmers help their neighbors in keeping surplus milk off the market during the summer months, when there is a glut, by converting it into cheese at specially equipped depots. Co-operative farming societies and co-operative purchasing societies are badly needed in this country to sell more directly farm products, especially meats, butter and eggs, from the farmers to the consumers, and while giving the producers larger profits save the consumers from the cold-storage harpies.

PARCEL POST IN ALASKA.

From the Evening Wisconsin.

A remarkable use has been discovered for the parcel post by Northern Alaska Eskimos, who have found that instead of selling white fox skins to traders on the spot at $2 apiece, they can mail them to dealers in this country and avoid the middleman. On account of this discovery, it is said, the price of white fox skins has risen in Alaska during the past summer to $20 apiece. Who would have thought, when it was established, that parcel post would be a boon to the Eskimos?

TOPNOTCH CATTLE PRICES.

From the Breeders' Gazette.

The sensation of the hour in beef cattle breeding circles is the news from Buenos Aires that at the auction sales recently concluded in connection with the Palermo National Show, the champion shorthorn bull, Americus, brought $80,000 in South American money, the equivalent of $35,200 in American gold coin. Another brought $29,800, and a total of 77 head were disposed of for $262,500 American gold, an average of $3409 American gold.

These top prices are the greatest of which there is record. Prior to this the highest figure ever actually paid for a shorthorn was $30,000, for the cow Eighth Duchess of Geneva, bid off at the New York Mills sale of 1873 at $40,000, but the agent's principal repudiated the bid. The New York Mills average was $3504 on 109 head. The record average for shorthorns still stands, but the number sold was not nearly so great. At Lord Dunmore's sale of 1875 39 head sold for $159,336, an average of $3823.

The highest price ever made by a bull in Great Britain was $26,904, for the Duke of Connaugh, the American bull record being $17,900, for Fourteenth Duke of Thornedale.

SUPER-JOURNALISM IN GERMANY.

From the Boston Transcript.

A newspaper at $75 a year! Such is the record for the high cost of reading to be established by a publishing house in Berlin. The new journal will take the name, The Review of Reviews, or The Chronicle or Chronicles, or The Journal or Journals, or The Times of the Times, or some other title which will indicate at once its aristocratic supremacy. Paris suggests that its German owners call it simply "The Daily Newspaper," somewhat after the Roman fashion of calling Rome just plain "Urbs." The supreme newspaper will be a daily journal of economics and politics, say the founders, begging pardon for using any form of the word "economical" to describe a newspaper at $75 per annum.

The founders further say that their object will be to defend Germany's political and commercial interests in foreign countries. For patrons the newspaper has three large banking houses, two steamship companies, some naval construction factories and several ammunition factories. The Journal of Journals will be the imperialist organ par excellence. The Government has already given it a subsidy of $20,000. No astonishing sum. The price of three subscriptions!

THE RINGO CONTEMPT CASE.

From the Sterling (Ky.) Advocate.

Members of the local bar, just returning from the Menefee Circuit Court, are authority for the following story, in which he was one of the principal participants:

"At a recent meeting of the Menefee Fiscal Court Esquire Ringo and the County Attorney, Judge Caudel, became involved in a heated argument, and it was necessary for County Judge Wells to assess a fine of $5 against each of them to restore order. Esquire Ringo promptly paid in cash and the County Attorney gave assurances of an early settlement. In a few minutes a matter in which the Judge's brother was interested came up for consideration, and the Judge vacated the bench in favor of Esquire Ringo, who immediately delivered himself thusly:

"'My first official act will be to set aside the fine just imposed against the County Attorney. My next official act will be to set aside the fine against Esquire A. J. Ringo.'"

Suffrage in Mexico.

From the Kansas City Journal.

Equal suffrage prevails in Mexico to a large extent. The women are not permitted to vote and the men are afraid to.

Subtle.

From the New York Post.

Slang has its subtle connotations. What a difference between telling it to the police and telling it to Whitman!

ANSWERS TO QUERIES

Mail queries for Sunday a week beforehand, marked "Sunday." No business addresses No'bets. Address "Answers, Post-Dispatch," using postal cards if convenient. Write but one question.

HOUSEHOLD HELPS.

G. P.—For fly specks on brass wring out soft flannel in kerosene and wipe; don't rub hard.

A. F.—The fruit cake recipe mentioned last Sunday as that of Mrs. Brandenburg was not hers. It was attributed to her unintentionally. She has never given her recipe which she uses in her business, and we regret the error very much. The Taft recipe given is, we believe, correct.

NEEWONDILLA.—Oyster loaf: Dip 2 dozen oysters in white of an egg into which 2 tablespoons water have been stirred, roll in corn meal to which seasoning has been added, fry in smoking hot, deep fat, and place on brown paper to drain. Cut a thick slice from top of small loaf of bread, take out part of the crumbs, butter loaf inside and outside and fill cavity with the fried oysters, a sliced lemon and 2 sour pickles cut into dice, sprinkle top with bread crumbs and bake in moderate oven 15 minutes.

FORD.—Nut cake: Cream together 1 cup sugar and ½ cup butter. Beat well yolks of 2 eggs and add them to the creamed mixture. Pour in ½ cup milk. Sift 1 heaping teaspoon baking powder with 1¾ cups flour. Sprinkle a little flour over 1 cup chopped hickory nut kernels, rub them around to coat them with flour and stir them into the cake mixture. Whip whites of the eggs to stiff froth. Flavor them with a few drops of lemon extract and fold the whites carefully into the other ingredients. Bake in two layers. Pack together and cover them with a thick frosting.

E. M.—A housewife hunted bedbugs once a month during warm weather and put just a little lard in their haunts on the under side of the bedsteads, and in six months could find no trace of them. A bedbug writer says: I have tried most of the popular remedies for bedbugs and have found one sure remedy and that is corrosive sublimate properly proportioned and applied. Its superiority lies in the fact that after it is applied in solution the crystallized dry powder is still deadly, whereas kerosene evaporates and must touch the insect. In the form usually sold by the bottle all prepared it is too weak. Add 1 ounce to every pint of wood alcohol used to cut or dissolve it and add water enough to make half pint of each. You need not strip off paper. All that find refuge in walls can be reached on edges. Moldings and cracks of baseboards, doors and moldings are chief nesting places. Coat over back of picture, molding and wall back of them with small brush. A flat wedge-shaped brush is best. Brush every crack and edge of room paper carefully. If dusted over it need not soil. Put solution in glass or crockery vessel (not metal). It is not usual for them to nest in cracks of floors—only near baseboards. The solution is poisonous. Keep out of reach of children. Druggist will not sell the powder, but will give you a solution of 1 ounce to ½ pint of wood alcohol. Add water yourself.

THE CRUCIFIXION.

STUDENT.—Of the crucifixion we know nothing more than is related in the New Testament. Rabbi Krauskopf of Philadelphia asserts that it was the Romans, not the Jews, who crucified Christ. "The Jew," said Dr. Krauskopf, "could not be got to believe that Jesus was the virgin-born, God-begotten, heaven-descended and heaven-ascended Messiah. The Jewman could be made to accept that belief by freeing him from the guilt of having crucified Jesus for having been proclaimed King of the Jews at a time when Judea was tributary to Rome, and by so rewriting the story of Jesus as to satisfy the mythical predilections of the Romans. The end to be gained in their eyes justified the means employed. The changes were made. The Roman empire was won. And from that day to this the Jew has continued the scapegoat. From that day to this the Jew has had the charge of deicide hurled against him. And though he has a thousand times answered back, 'not guilty,' he has found his case prejudged everywhere. There has been no disposition to hear him or to examine the proofs of his innocence. Millions still accuse him of having slain a God without ever having critically examined the literature on which that cruel and self-contradictory charge is made." Rabbi Sale says: The whole responsibility must be fastened upon the ravenous high priest and his party and the unprincipled Romans, who found it to their interest to sacrifice him to their combined greed and cruelty. Just as they had done with John of Galilee and Theudas before and James thereafter, I hope that some of our Christian brethren will revise their opinions and learn to think better of the Pharisees and their descendants, who were kith and kin in flesh and spirit to the Prophet of Nazareth. However that may be, we claim him as our own and give him that place in our history which belongs to him as one of the greatest teachers and benefactors of the human race.

TO MAKE AND KEEP CIDER.

E. T.—To make cider: Fruit should be sufficiently mature. Apples are usually left 14 days in barn or loft to mellow. Then ground to a pulp in a mill consisting of two fluted cylinders of hardwood or cast-iron working against each other. The pulp is afterward put into coarse, strong bags, and pressed with a heavy weight so as to squeeze out all the juice. This is then placed in large, open tubs and kept at a heat of about 60 degrees. After two or three days for weak cider, and eight or 10 days for strong cider, or as soon as the sediment has subsided, the liquor is "racked off" into clean casks. The casks are then stored in a cellar, shaded barn or other cool place where a low and regular temperature can be insured, and are left to mature and ripen until the following spring, when it may be racked for use. Preparatory to bottling cider it should be examined to see whether it is clear and sparkling. If not so it should be clarified and left a fortnight. The night previous to bottling the bung should be taken out of the cask and the filled bottles should not be corked down until the day after filling; best corks should be used. When cider is wanted for immediate use, a small piece of lump sugar may be put into each bottle before corking it. To keep cider sweet all the year, put into a barrel of the liquid just made fresh from apples, 2 ounces of wintergreen, ½ pint alcohol; set in cool place.

MISCELLANEOUS.

PORT ARTHUR.—No premium on dime of 1876.

W. H. F.—The firemen are on duty "the whole 24 hours."

ANNIE AND A. G.—Debt limitations in Ohio: Judgment (foreign) 15 years, note 15, open account 6.

READER.—For gold plating see Electro-Metallurgy, Scientific American Cyclopedia, Public Library reference room.

L. M.—In polishing clam pearls no acid is used. They are first smoothed well and then usually polished on a buffing wheel. They may be polished by hand with tripoli.

READER.—Gov. E. W. Major has a year, with residence, fuel, etc.; Lieut. Gov. W. R. Painter has a year and a per diem of $7 when presiding over the Senate; Secretary of State Cornelius Roach, General John T. Barrett, Auditor John P. Gordon, Superintendent of Public Schools William P. Evans, State Treasurer E. F. Deal, each four years' term, 4 years for all.

INFORMATION.—Cabinet: Secretary of State, William Jennings Bryan, Nebraska; Treasury, William G. McAdoo, New York; War, Lindley M. Garrison, New York; Navy, Josephus Daniels, North Carolina; Interior, Franklin K. Lane, California; Agriculture, David F. Houston, Missouri; Commerce, William C. Redfield, New York; Labor, William B. Wilson, Pennsylvania; Attorney-General, James McReynolds, Tennessee; Postmaster-General, Albert Burleson, Texas.

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DEVELOPMENTS OF THE FRISCO SCANDAL

RESIGNATIONS have already begun in the Frisco railroad scandal. That this is only the beginning may be inferred from the following statement by a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission:

"We all realize that the management of the road has been at fault. The investigation has brought to light startling facts regarding the methods pursued by the directors of the road and the manner in which they handled the funds to advance their own financial interests. But we cannot tell as yet what recommendations we will make in order to bring the officials to terms."

"How the Frisco Was Milked."

Financial World: The story of how St. Louis & San Francisco Railway treasury was drained in order to make profits for insiders who are promoting smaller roads and selling them to the Frisco, was told in court in St. Louis by A. T. Perkins, railroad expert of the St. Louis Union Trust Co. Almost every word of the testimony was in direct contradiction to that given by Chairman Yoakum, who denied that he had made any profits in syndicates organized to sell smaller roads to the system. So much the worse for Mr. Yoakum.

There is every reason to believe that Mr. Perkins was not going beyond the truth when he stated that the various syndicates promoted by the Frisco officials to milk the Frisco made a total of $7,038,000. They knew beforehand that the Frisco, then in control of those who were working hand in glove with the promoters, would take over the properties sold to the big road. It was a "sure thing." There was no gamble or speculation about it.

The average promoter has usually to assume a risk of selling at a higher price what he has already bought, but all that had to be done by the syndicates in this case was to await certain action of the Frisco insiders who voted the money of the Frisco stock and bond holders into their own pockets and the pockets of their dummy promoters and bought the roads which finally made the Frisco colossus of roads, but with an empty treasury. The profits made ranged all the way from 40 to 95 per cent on the investment that was certain, sure and safe. As soon as the roads were taken over they began to be burdens instead of profit makers for the Frisco.

The Frisco went into the hands of receivers for the want of a mere $700,000 cash to meet pressing needs. It might, therefore, be today a prosperous and solvent road had not these cormorants in finance betrayed their trust and diverted profits of a struggling system into a golden stream flowing into their own pockets.

We send to jail the vulgar get-rich-quick promoter of a plain fake enterprise when he is caught with his hands in the pockets of his victims. Here is a crime reaching to heights of profits to which the get-rich-quick artist would not dare aspire and yet the ill-gotten gains are still in the possession of the smug financiers and promoters who garnered them.

What is the difference between this sort of plunder and the fake promotion business, and why shouldn't the law take cognizance of the one as well as the other? It seems to us that a Federal grand jury ought to get busy on this case without further delay.

"Rearranging the Statistics."

New York World: It has appeared in evidence that when the finances of the bankrupt Frisco Railroad system had become so bad as to make more borrowing difficult, the books were turned over to the company's bankers, who helped "rearrange the statistics." Then the borrowing was resumed and $28,000,000 of bonds were sold in France.

It was Shakspeare who made one of his characters say:

> I once did hold it, as our statistics do,
> A baseness to write fair.

It was Disraeli who inelegantly made the comparison, "Lies, damned lies and statistics."

It was Carroll D. Wright who protested that "while figures never lie, liars often figure."

It was the Quay statisticians who could add, divide and be silent.

But it has remained for these Frisco statisticians not merely to act out an old idea on a splendid scale but to shame all previous literature on the subject by giving to it an expression at once so elegant, so simply expressive, so delicately suggestive—in a word, so thoroughly artistic—as "Rearranging the Statistics."

"No Subterranean Entrance!"

Philadelphia Ledger: Government supervision of railroads, such as we now have, will put a stop to underwriting schemes like this disclosed in the St. Louis & San Francisco Co. It will also prevent any future Harriman with three or four insiders from making millions out of another Alton deal.

What a blessing for 10,000 New England investors had some agency checked the New Haven & Hartford before it had squandered its resources upon a worthless mess of pottage.

In arousing the public conscience to the evils of such corporate brigandage, Theodore Roosevelt performed his greatest service to the American people. His agitation led to drastic laws, and these laws, while in many cases overstringent, are only so because the public, long the under dog, became extra zealous when finally on top.

In future the stockholder and bond owner will know more in advance as to what their company intends to do with its new capital. In the past such information has usually come long after the money was spent.

All sound railroad entreprise will be helped rather than hurt by the total elimination of such financial methods as have now been uncovered in the West. The profits by such proceedings came in huge streams to a select few, but they came from the pockets of the thousands whose money had been honestly invested.

There should be no subterranean entrance into the treasury of any corporation. No door to the exchequer should swing inward for the big interest and outward for the little interest.

"Need of Radical Reform."

New York Globe: The Frisco revelations are such as to emphasize again the need of a radical reform in corporation laws and a more thorough supervision of the circumstances surrounding the issue of securities sold to the public.

What has happened in St. Louis with respect to the Frisco is what has happened in New England with respect to the New Haven. Officers of the Frisco built branch lines or acquired outside property and then unloaded them on the parent company at enhanced prices. Those officers were on both sides of the trasaction. As is usually the case, they resolved doubts in their favor. The theory that high-minded men can be trusted to act always in a high-minded way is not to be trusted.

The poor Frisco is in the hands of a receiver. Persons who honestly investing in its securities, now discover that their money was used not for the legitimate development of the property but to pay extravagant prices for property bought by its officers from its officers. It is hardly necessary to point out that the persons guilty of such conduct are thieves.

The amazing thing about such transactions is the attitude of the financial community toward the looting criminals. One would think that respcnsible bankers interested in protecting their customers and in the meantime the public confidence, would lead in the movement for punishment and for reforms in the laws and in business practices. They seldom do. On the contrary, their influence for the most part is thrown in favor of those who have developed larceny into a fine art and who shout "Demagogue!" "Populism!" "Bryanism!" etc., whenever a proposal is made to interfere with their activities.

"Took No Chances."

Pittsburg Gazette: Testimony in the inquiry into the causes of the bankruptcy of the St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad reveal a similarity to the underlying reasons for the sad condition of the New York, New Haven & Hartford road—with an important difference, however. The managers of the New England corporation overloaded their property with unproductive enterprises and ones which drained it of its life blood, but so far as appears it was an honest error of judgment which profited the agents of the New Haven nothing.

The managers of the Western property, on the other hand, weighted it down with so-called feeders to their own enrichment and the hurt of investors in its securities here and abroad. Instead of the purchased properties feeding the St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad they were fed by it and a good commission on the transactions went into the pockets of men whose first moral if not legal obligation was as trustees of the interests of the stockholders and bondholders of the railroad to which they were selling properties picked up here and there.

While in most instances it is made to appear that undue percentages of profit were not exacted it is no less true that the traffickers gave themselves a sure market by means of their control of the purchasing corporation. They took no chances of any kind. They bought every time knowing where they would make the sale and that their profit was assured in advance.

Whether this was honorable will be questioned pointedly since there has been disaster. If the St. Louis & San Francisco had not gone into a receivership the matter probably would not have come into public view. But since the wrecks of the property the morality as well as the legality of the various trasactions will have to be demonstrated if the men concerned are to retain their profits and public regard. The matter leaves a very unpleasant impression in the minds of the investing public and causes suspicion of the management of other properties.

The managers of the Frisco lines may have believed as sincerely as those of the New Haven that they were acting for the good of the property under their care but in the roundup of developments to date the discredited New Haven men shine in the public view by comparison.

"Never Honest."

Washington Times: It is not so very long since that the game of buy and sell, or loan and borrow, between a great financial corporation and its directors, to the immense benefit of the latter, was played quite regularly. That some such transactions or other would be disclosed by any investigation of the Frisco receivership that went far enough back into the past was a foregone conclusion. The sworn evidence is to the effect that this particular line's directors played the game like experts and stuck to it until there were no more funds to play with.

So far as the taking of oral testimony is concerned, the investigation is closed. Something else may, of course, yet transpire that will explain away some of the transactions. But the best excuse for them that offers itself now is the fact they are not all of recent date. Even so, it is a pretty poor excuse. The ethical standards are indeed higher now than they once were; but such flagrant abuse of a railroad directorate's opportunities as has been recounted was never justified.

The last bit of evidence produced was the list of members of the syndicate that promoted and sold to the Frisco the St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico Railroad. That list is impressive. It names the chairman of the Frisco's board; an ex-vice-president of the Frisco, the treasurer of the Frisco, the former counsel of the Frisco, two receivers of the Frisco and several directors; two large trust companies, three large banking houses. The road was built for $4,000,000. These men sold it to their own unknowing stockholders for $7,000,000.

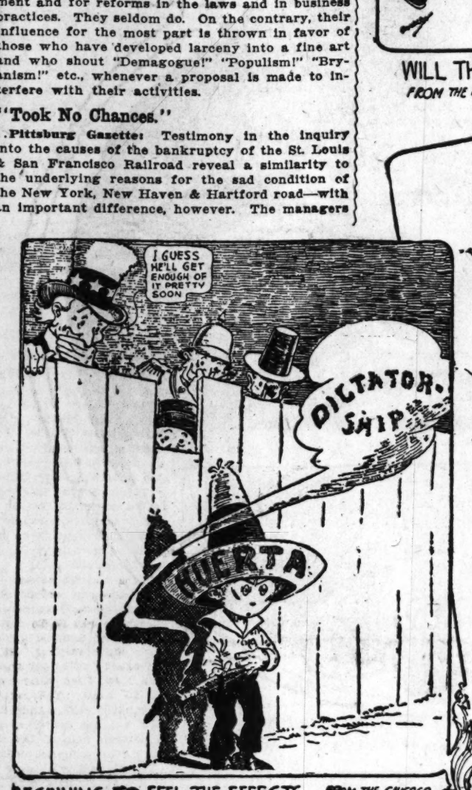
Syndicate profits of this sort amounted in all to over $7,400,000. There is a great deal of buncombe and demagogy behind the public distrust of bankers as a class and corporations as a class. The more thoughtful element has its work cut out to keep prejudice down and legislation temperate and wise. Instances of wholesale looting of a railroad's treasury like this make the work none the easier. The one comfort is that secret looting is daily growing more difficult and that it does no longer meet accepted business standards.



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HOW LONG WILL HIS ROPE LAST? FROM THE CLEVELAND PLAIN DEALER

CLEARING VIEWS ON MEXICO

UNDER the firm but moderate leadership of the President, clarification and crystallization of public opinion are steadily being evolved from the Mexican puzzle. The jingo spirit has subsided, the value of patient confidence becomes daily more evident, and the European powers now rest content with Washington's decision. A poll of the Governors of the American States shows an overwhelming majority against intervention. Many papers are beginning to suspect "graft" back of the whole thing, as a fight between two oil companies.

"Amazing Calm."

Pittsburg Dispatch: A good many persons find themselves contrasting the clamorous days preceding the war with Spain with the present popular attitude in regard to Mexico. Then, despite the efforts of President McKinley for peace, the country was forced into war by an irresistible sentiment in and out of Congress. Today President Wilson is being just as strongly upheld by public opinion in not going to war with Mexico. In spite of all the sensationalists the country remains "most amazing calm."

Jingo Graft.

Detroit Free Press: While the sensible people of the country desire to keep clear of the matter there is a small element, made up chiefly of jingoes and advocates of belligerency for the money there would be in it, who take quite another view of the situation, who want war and are doing their best to bring it about. The reference is to a detestable class whose members stay at home and foment trouble as a cold business proposition and with a ghastly indifference to human life which is more repellent than the bloodthirstiness of the most brutal Carranzista. Some of these are persons concerned in business interests which are assisting the financing of rebel bands in the hope that continued turmoil will force the United States to intervene, take over Mexico and open the way for the easier development of their schemes through the elimination of foreign competition.

Cowdray Behind Huerta.

Washington Times: Lord Cowdray has for a long time been the invisible government in Mexico, except that his operations have been so bold, under Diaz and later under Huerta, that the invisible government was thoroughly visualized in his person. He has been suspected, for very good reasons, of intrigue with the British Government to keep its sympathies on the Huerta side. At the bottom the British admiralty's ambition to establish an independent source of oil supplies for its navy has been credited with much of the kindly interest it has taken in the Pearson enterprises.

"Impregnable Ground."

Milwaukee News: Huerta seems to understand how to "play to the galleries" of his admirers and adherents. But it may be his last stand before he gets ready to surrender. There is a deep-seated conviction in this country, that the Government at Washington has taken impregnable ground with reference to the Mexican situation, ground which has been taken advisedly. And one can afford to be optimistic in the present view, in the absence of a definite showing to the contrary.

"The People Do Not Wish War."

Cleveland Plain Dealer: In response to questions sent to the Governors of all the states of the union the New York Sun has received only three expressions in favor of intervention in Mexico. The Governors of Texas, Idaho and West Virginia are of the opinion that intervention will ultimately be necessary, and that postponement is unprofitable. The Texan attitude is explicable. Texans are not famed as a patient race, and conditions along the border have long been irritating. The expressions from Idaho and West Virginia must be accepted as mere sporadic manifestations of jingoism. Of the other replies some were noncommittal, some merely expressed confidence in the Wilson administration and a desire to follow the President's judgment, other declared forcefully against intervention under any circumstances. Such a canvass is a pleasing indication of the slight strength of jingoism throughout the country. The people do not wish war, and cannot bring themselves to believe that war is necessary. They appreciate the enormous cost that would have to be met. Militarists and men whose selfish interests are menaced, may make a considerable amount or noise, but they are unrepresentative.

The President's Position.

New York Globe: No person of sincerity and fairness challenges the patriotism of the President as he gives anxious thought to the Mexican problem. He wants no war. He does not wish to issue an order which will mean the sacrifice of thousands of American lives, the starting of new pension roll, the waste of a billion of wealth, the derangement of our relations with every Latin-American country, and the placing on us of a new burden of imperialism beside which the weight of the Philippines is light. The President has knowledge. He has taken the whole question into his thought. He has looked beyond the immediate hour. He knows, even if frothy jingoes do not, that it will be easier to get into Mexico than out of it; that it is a serious business to attempt to conquer and to hold in subjection a nation of 15,000,000; that the fact that so many Mexicans are uneducated and semi-civilized increases rather than lessens the difficulty of the task.

Governors Oppose Intervention.

Boston Herald: The New York Sun printed the opinion of all the 48 Governors who could be reached on the Mexican question, specifically asking them whether they favored intervention, and then inquiring how many troops they could readily put into the field. The answers, which are summarized in the Herald this morning, bear striking evidence that the President is holding his party behind him, and incidentally that the desire "to fight somebody" is far less strong now than it was in 1898. For the Governors are nearly all opposed to our going into Mexico. It is significant that this country is immeasurably less "intervention hungry" than it was in 1898. The McKinley administration would have gone down in overwhelming defeat had it listened to the peace overtures of Spain, and no one seemed to realize this better than the President himself. But today the country is very loath to send its young men into the cactus bushes of Mexico. Nearly all the Governors oppose intervention, and add that they want to leave it all with the President.

A Possible Explanation.

Indianapolis Star: Could it be possible that people who make Sunday bull fights their national amusement are fit only for a bayonetted rule?

FOREIGN NEWS GATHERED FOR THE SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH

Grand Duchess Marie Is Deep in Plot for Throne

She Sacrifices Her Husband, Prince William of Sweden, in Order to Further Her Ambition to See Her Only Brother, Grand Duke Dimitri, Crowned Czar of All the Russias in Succession to Nicholas II.

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ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 29.—The matrimonial difficulties of Prince William of Sweden, King Gustave's second son, and his Russian wife, Grand Duchess Marie, are causing a profound sensation because they involve affairs of the highest importance to the Russian crown.

The vital question at the imperial court is: "Who shall succeed Nicholas II upon the throne?" No one believes that the Czar's little son will ever live to reign. If he should he would be a physical wreck and could not hope to leave a son himself to carry on the direct line. The Czarina is now 41 years old and has been in such bad health that the prospect of her presenting another heir to the crown is small. Reports of an expected happy event at the Czar's palace in the Crimea are received with skepticism. The court, government and nation are settled in the belief that the Czarina is pursued by an evil fate and will never have another son.

The Czar's only brother, Grand Duke Michael, formerly the heir apparent before the birth of little Czarevitch Alexis, positively refuses to consider a return to that position. He has quit the country with his morganatic wife and children and, it is said, that wild horses could not drag him back as his brother's successor to the gloomy peep and terrifying dangers of the imperial crown.

Vladimir's Sons Have Outraged Public Opinion.

The males next in line after him are the sons of the Great Grand Duke Vladimir—Grand Duke Cyril, Grand Duke Boris and Grand Duke Andrew. But their father and they themselves after him have reduced the national treasury when in position of authority and have so openly defied the peoples' welfare that neither one of them could possibly ascend the throne without anarchy, assassination and their attendant horrors.

The spirited, pleasure-loving little Marie, known as the "merry Grand Duchess," who married Prince William of Sweden five years ago, when she was only 18, has developed extraordinary intellectual qualities and diplomatic tact, and she has become the life and soul of the political group at the St. Petersburg court.

She is in favor of proclaiming the Czar's eldest daughter, Grand Duchess Olga, the heir to the throne, and at the same time announcing her betrothal to her cousin, Grand Duke Dimitri, Grand Duchess Marie's only brother. It has been to her inherent devotion to the far-reaching aims of her political activities that Prince William's wife has sacrificed her husband for the sake of her brother's future.

Her most important ally is tall, dark-eyed Grand Duchess Olga, who is as simple as a child in many ways, although she celebrated her nineteenth birthday a few days ago, and who has made up her mind that her cousin, Dimitri, is the handsomest, most fascinating young man in the world and that she will never marry any other man. Her betrothal to the Crown Prince of Rumania was announced in that country a few weeks ago, but the Czar has not been able to get his daughter's consent to announce it here.

Grand Duchess Marie, while in Sweden with her husband, left no stone unturned to add to her personal influence over the Czar and increase her power with the Russian Government itself. She gained access to state papers at Stockholm and surreptitiously conveyed information of great importance to the St. Petersburg statesmen through a Russian attache at the Swedish court. Military secrets which Russia would have paid fabulous prices to obtain through secret agents, the wife of Prince William was able to get from susceptible army and navy officers in Sweden by means of the spell of her beauty and charm.

Czarina Ordered Her Father From Court.

Princess William, or Grand Duchess Marie, as she will be called hereafter, was only 16 months old when her mother died, six days after giving birth to Grand Duke Dimitri. The mother was a sister of King Constantine of Greece. She had a Russian mother and had known from childhood of the license of the Russian court. Yet she was so deeply in love with her husband, Grand Duke Paul, that she died of a broken heart because of his neglect and dissipation.

The two little children were not allowed to know their father until they were grown. Soon after his wife passed away Grand Duke Paul appeared at a court ball escorting the wife of Col. Pistolkors who was loaded down with the famous jewels of Grand Duchess Paul. Ten minutes after catching sight of them the Czarina ordered them to leave the palace, which infuriated Paul so much that he induced Col. Pistolkors to divorce his wife so that Paul could marry her. For this he was exiled from the country. The children were brought up by the Czarina's sister, the childless Grand Duchess Serge, who became a nun after her husband was assassinated.

One of the first things Grand Duchess Marie did after she married was to go to Paris to see her father and she has been with him frequently since. He is credited with the real leadership of the party working for the accession of Grand Duchess Olga and Grand Duke Dimitri, and it is believed that he will soon be restored to all his former honors and prerogatives as the Czar's uncle. His name has recently been restored as honorary chief of the German Brandenburger Cuirassier regiment No. 6 which would not have been done by Emperor William without the Czar's intention wholly to rehabilitate Grand Duke Paul. Grand Duchess Marie is now in Paris with him and she has surprised everyone by becoming the best of friends with her father's morganatic wife, who enjoys the Bavarian title of Countess Hohenstein and who is very popular in fashionable society.

The domestic tragedy that has befallen the Grand Duchess Marie and Prince William emphasizes the fact that the thirteenth year of the present century has been singularly disastrous to royal romances.

No fewer than six unions, including Prince and Princess Williams, have been affected either by tragedy, domestic worry or by open ruptura. The young Archduchess Isabella, grand niece of the Austrian Emperor, quitted her husband, George of Bavaria, after three days of the honeymoon. A divorce in the lady's favor soon terminated this poor specimen of the royal romance.

Next Prince Sophie of Saxe-Weimar-Eisenach committed suicide because she was forbidden to marry the man of her heart, young Bielchroeder, a Jewish banker's son.

Followed the mysterious illness on her honeymoon before marrying in 1906. A Brunswick editor named Sierke some years ago was sentenced to a long term of imprisonment for suggesting that at one time she eloped to the Riviera with Baron von Plettenberg.

End of Marriage Restrictions Seen.

The moral to be drawn from this succession of misalliances is that the day of the morganatic marriage—without disgrace—has arrived. While not to be encouraged if the king game is to be going, it is clear that no longer should people be forced to share their lives with others they have no affection for merely because they were born in the purple. The custom of exiling princes guilty of the crime of marrying morganatically is dying out.

The Czar, for one, realizes that if he were to continue his banishments he would soon be nearly the only Romanoff in Russia. The same applies to the venerable Austrian Emperor. It is confidently believed that before he dies he will make legal the morganatic marriage of his nephew, Grand Duke Ferdinand, and that the Duchess of Hohenberg, not royally born, will be the next Empress of Austria. Already—and this is not very generally known—she is legally entitled to become the Queen of Hungary. She is the woman Queen Mary of England refused to receive as her equal on the occasion of her recent visit to London, which otherwise would have been a State affair. It is to recall in this connection that proud Queen Mary is herself the grandchild of a morganatic union. Her father, the late Duke of Teck, was the child of Duke Alexander of Wurtemberg and Claudine, Comtesse de Pheday.

The Prince of Wales has his role in this drama of absorbing human interest. It has been officially stated that no arrangement has been made for the betrothal of the Prince of Wales and the Czar's second daughter, Grand Duchess Tatiana, who is 17 years of age. It is nevertheless all settled that the Prince of Wales shall come to St. Petersburg for his Easter holidays next spring and spend a week at the winter palace with the Czar's family. Everything for an engagement is being done by the two grandmothers, Queen Alexandra and her sister the Dowager Czarina.

Queen Mary does not favor a Russian marriage for her son and it would not be popular with the English people who consider the Czar a monster of tyranny and misrule. But the Prince will have a chance to decide for himself. If he does not care to marry the Czar's daughter, Tatiana, she can be betrothed to the Crown Prince of Rumania in her sister's place. This marriage is an affair of state of the utmost importance, to give Russia new power in the Balkans and Grand Duchess Olga is recognized as a young woman who will have unusual strength of character to carry out Russia's plans in Rumania. But the same arguments are being urged by her friends at court in favor of putting her on the Russian throne with her cousin Dimitri.

Russia is not afraid of a woman sovereign. Catherine the Great was one of the best rulers in Europe, and even Peter the Great's peasant wife, who became Czarina after his death, was a better sovereign than most of the Czars who followed her have been.

New Photograph of the Duchess of Brunswick, Future King of England on the Football Field, and German Village's "Goose Girl," Who Saw Napoleon's Grand Army.



Prince of Wales in "Football Rig."



HEDWIG STAWNE

GERMAN WOMAN IS STILL ACTIVE AT 120

BERLIN, Nov. 29.—Hedwig Stawne, the "goose girl" of the village of Dormowo in Prussian Poland, has produced for official inspection birth records showing that she was 120 years old on Oct. 15. It is admitted by the registration authorities that so far as they can discover she is the only woman in Germany now alive who saw Napoleon's grand army march through Poland to invade Russia.

The old woman still does her own marketing and when the weather is reasonably fine she looks after the village geese, as she did when she was a child. Her eyesight is still excellent and she knits most of her own woolen clothing and stockings and some for others.

Her memory is clear. She would be a mine of information for historians if she had not happened to be born in a small village called Plesch on the Russian frontier and to have spent her life in quiet villages where in all her 120 years the most eventful incident was the passing of a part of Jerome's wing of the Grand Army and later on a few stragglers and outriders of the Russian Cossacks.

The coming of the railway and other such events which form the stock in trade of most "eldest inhabitants" are events of yesterday to Mother Hedwig. Her childhood recollections are of lonely and secret tramps into the forests surrounding her birthplace to take food to her father, who had fled into the forest with his cattle to escape the plundering Cossacks. Jerome's troops were well behaved, according to Hedwig. The only difficulty was that they would not eat black bread and had to have geese and chickens.

KILLING BY ROYAL AUTOS STIRS GENERAL PROTEST

BERLIN, Nov. 29.—A long sequence of fatal motor accidents in which royal cars have been involved, culminating in the killing of a child by Prince Leopold of Prussia, the Emperor's nephew, has led to an outburst against the unlimited speed allowed reckless Princes.

Leopold or his brothers have run down and killed five persons this year, while those concerned in other tragedies have been Prince Eitel, the Duke of Cumberland and his son, Ernest.

Not only may royal cars fly along at any pace, but every other vehicle has to stand aside at the sound of a special "hooter." The inhabitants of Potsdam, in particular, are up in arms against this state of affairs, and it is likely that the Kaiser, who never speeds, will take stringent action in the matter. Though he has had the good fortune never to have killed anyone, the Crown Prince is labeled as the worst offender.

PRINCESS "VIC'S" DOWRY TOO SMALL FOR NEW JOB

Kaiser's Only Daughter Will Not Be Able to Make the Court of Brunswick Shine as It Should Until Husband Comes Into His Fortune.

EMPEROR ANGRY WHEN RICH GIRL CHOOSES ENGLISHMAN

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

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BERLIN, Nov. 29.—Princess Victoria Louise of Prussia became the Duchess of Brunswick early this month after a struggle within and outside of the Hohenzollern family which will become a part of the history of Germany.

As has already been noted in the Post-Dispatch dispatches the Duchess does not propose to change her affection for simplicity, which has always been encouraged by her mother, the Empress of Germany. Her little "Prinzessin Stubchen" which she brought from Potsdam to Rathenow is to be transferred again to the palace at Brunswick and her whole private suite will be as simple as possible.

Maximilian Harden points out in the Zukunft that contrary to the general belief, Princess Victoria received little or no dowry. The Cumberlands are wealthy and on the death of the old Duke, his son, now Duke of Brunswick, will be one of the richest reigning Princes in Germany. In addition there are lands and houses in the Duchy and outside which belong to the Cumberlands as legal heirs of the Kings of Hanover, and which could not be sequestrated when the Kingdom of Hanover became part of Prussia. These houses, castles and palaces have been for the most part unoccupied for years, but they will now be put in order. But their maintenance will be so expensive that the splendid entertainments and ceremonies which might be expected at the new court of Brunswick are not likely to be given for some time.

According to the well informed Roland, Emperor William is intensely annoyed at the betrothal of Fraulein von Friedlander-Fuld, Germany's greatest heiress, to the Hon. John Mitford, Lord Redesdale's bank clerk son. The thought of 50,000,000 German marks (about $12,500,000) crossing the North Sea to England is certainly a depressing one. His Majesty, it is asserted, is now striving to get a promise from the lady that her home shall be in Germany.

The Friedlander-Fuld coal enterprise is second only to that of Krupp's in national importance, and the Emperor is alarmed at the possibility of its control passing to England and an Englishman.

The young people met on the tennis courts at Hamburg early in the summer. It was a case of love at first sight. Because of her choice the young woman has latterly been slighted at court functions much the same as young Bielchroeder was when engaged to the ill-starred Sophie of Saxe-Weimar-Eisenach.

Garland's

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Five of the Styles Are Shown in Picture



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Society

Week Is Made Memorable by the Fact That Society Began at the Dozier Ball Wednesday Evening and Danced the Clock Around, Ending by Being Thoroughly Exhausted—Entertainments for College Boys and Girls Planned—Dancing Calendar Full Up Into New Year.

By Frances Cabanne Scovel.

OH! for a log of last week's doings in society!

No calendar or daily chronicle could possibly tell all the little happenings and the gossip thereof that flies about after a week such as the one which has just passed, leaving the debutantes and the dancing men—especially the men—nearly dead from dancing.

There was a dance every night, but the talk is all about those 24 hours when society danced the clock around. They began at 11 o'clock or thereabouts at the Dozier ball Wednesday at the St. Louis Club and danced until 3, when, according to the new ruling of the club, the music stopped.

And then what do you think they did—that dance-mad crowd of girls and men? Got into their motor cars and went out to the Country Club and danced till almost dawn. According to reports, there were about 40 who kept it up all night.

When they arrived home a little before breakfast, some of them went to bed but many of the girls had engagements to go to the football game Thanksgiving morning, so had but a few moments sleep.

From there they went on to the Country Club for the cabaret luncheon where again they danced. All afternoon it kept up.

There were a lot of luncheon parties out there and between courses first one couple, then another, then another would jump up, dance a bit and sit down again. Then, after everyone got through eating, they just danced and danced until 4:30 when down to the Lennox Club tea dansante at the Jefferson they went and danced until 11 o'clock.

Friday morning, nothing short of a bombardment, an earthquake or a cyclone could have awakened the buds of this winter and the belles of last who took part in the mad dancing whirl. I know; I tried it just for fun—calling up all the debutante list and the same answer came over the wire from each house:

"Miss Smith is not awake yet."

One of the beaux arrived at his office Friday morning at the usual time, but couldn't stay awake, so he put his head on his desk and went to sleep. There was one nearing his office about 9 o'clock who looked like an Egyptian mummy come to life—or trying to.

One girl's mother tucked her in bed and kept her there for two days. Another got the doctor and they made this debutante go to bed for a whole day and would allow no one to see her.

One man fainted, and stayed fainted, while the debutante he was to take to the dinner dance waited and waited and finally went to the table without him.

When he recovered, he went to the dance and did his part just the same.

At the Lennox tea dansante one of the beaux was so tired that he lost his balance and but for some of the other dancers would have fallen with his partner. Another of the beaux was so weary at another dance that when he stopped dancing he kept going around like a top dying down and finally sank to the floor.

With a party every night and luncheons and afternoon dances all the week it is a task keeping the girls in frocks and the frocks in wearing condition.

The mother of one son says it is all very well for the girls because they can sleep all morning, but what about the men who have to work next day?

But the dancing keeps up just the same and will for many a day and night as the calendar is full up until well into the new year.

"J. White" makes a specialty in motoring, outdoor coats and golf suits. Ladies' Tailor, 1002 Olive.

Mr. and Mrs. George Marion Brown of 3653 West Pine boulevard and their daughter, Miss Daphne Brown, are in New York and attended the Army and Navy football game.

Miss Eleanor Dozier's debut ball Wednesday evening at the St. Louis Club was one of the most beautifully appointed and gayest affairs this season. Hundreds of Killarney roses decorated the stairway leading to the ballroom and everywhere were palms and wild smilax. Miss Annie Lewis, Miss Dozier's aunt, and her father, Louis D. Dozier, received the guests at the entrance to the ballroom where the stairway widens into a broad balcony. Former Gov. and Mrs. David R. Francis assisted in receiving and stood farther on, inside the ballroom.

For supper the guests were seated at small round tables, arranged around a large one for the debutantes laid for 30. The debutantes' table was decorated with Bulgarian or sunset roses and lilies of the valley with bows of pale blue and silver ribbon. At the table were Misses Elizabeth Overton and her guest, Miss Cynthia Edrington of Memphis; Martha Pittman, Helen LeRoy Lane, Enid Simpkins, Catherine McCreesy, Marion Howard, Carol Miller, Margaret Gale, Margaret Wright, Catherine Case, Anne Lionberger, Madge Adams and Elanore Scott.

An interesting exhibit of the newer platinum jewelry is being shown in our store at 305 Locust. Heffern & Neuhoff.

Miss Elizabeth Bray Fuqua, daughter of Mrs. Henry Clay Fuqua, and Charles Spence Faxton of Cincinnati were married Tuesday evening at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Joseph F. Hickey, 5064 Vernon avenue.

The ceremony was performed by Bishop Thomas F. Lailor of Memphis, Tenn., at 7:30 o'clock and only the nearest relatives and friends were present.

Mrs. Wallace Horn, the bride's sister, was matron of honor and Miss Lucy Kenney was bridemaid.

The out-of-town guests were the bridegroom's mother, his sister, Miss Elizabeth and his brother, Finley Faxton, all of Memphis.

After their wedding trip to the East Mr. Faxton and his bride will live in Cincinnati.

Miss Mary M. Dierkes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dierkes of 943 Beach avenue, and Edward C. Brady were married Tuesday morning at St. Rose's Church, the Rev. Father J. J. McGlynn officiating.

Miss Philippa Dierkes, the bride's sister, was maid of honor and Miss Edna Bailey was bridemaid. Thomas Hogan was best man.

A bridal breakfast followed at the bride's home, after which Mr. Brady and his bride went away to spend their honeymoon. They will reside in St. Louis.

The announcement that Miss Forest Ross Rubicam's marriage to C. D. Pennock Hamilton would take place next Saturday was the first news of her engagement. It is not often that a girl can keep her betrothal a secret until within a week of her marriage and especially if she has been "class beauty" at Mary Institute and much admired.

The wedding will be at 5:30 o'clock at Christ Church Cathedral and a reception for the immediate family will follow. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Rubicam of 5112 Vernon avenue and was graduated from Mary Institute in '09.

For Hire—7-pass. limousine, driven by owner. Forest 3574, Delmar 800L.

The engagement of Miss Fanny Knight, daughter of Harry F. Knight and Clarence O. Gamble was announced by Mrs. Selden P. Spencer, the bride-elect's aunt, at a tea given by Miss Knight. The marriage will be in the spring.

Miss Mollie Morriss announced her engagement to Balfour C. Craib at a bridge party followed by a tea. Mrs. Lotspeich of Knoxville, Tenn., who was formerly Miss Ethel Moore of St. Louis came to visit Miss Moriss for the occasion.

Already the dates for the college set affairs are piling up and the boys and girls who are coming home for the Christmas holidays will have two weeks of teas, dinners and dances like grown-ups. Many of the girls will be debutantes next year. Mrs. John Hamilton Farish will give a dance for her daughter, Miss Frances Farish, Christmas night; the Woman's Club party for the college set will be Friday evening, Dec. 26; Mrs. J. B. M. Kehlor will have a dance at her country place, Oak Ridge, for her grandson, Kehlor Carr, Monday evening, Dec. 29, and Mrs. Edwin T. Howard, assisted by her sister, Mrs. Peyton H. Skipwith Jr., will have a dance at Mahler's for her son, Edwin Howard and Miss Emma Skipwith, Dec. 30.

Clendenen teaches the refined Tango, Dream Waltz, Maxixe and others.

Miss Anna Wright Benoist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Benoist of 4633 Berlin avenue, is in Memphis, Tenn., where she is the guest of Miss Louise Buckingham. Miss Miriam Benoist is still in Virginia and is now visiting Miss Mary Frederick at her hunting lodge at Erlhurst, about fifteen miles from White Sulphur Springs. She will go for a month's visit to Miss Bella Wells in Washington before returning home.

Mrs. J. Arthur Christopher entertained at luncheon Friday at White House, the Christopher country place on the Mississippi bluffs about 20 miles below St. Louis. The affair was in honor of Miss Virginia Simpson, one of the debutantes of the season, and her classmates from Miss Bennett's school who are visiting in St. Louis. They are Miss Isabel Haldeman, who is the guest of Miss Margaret Gale; Miss Elizabeth Jamison and her guests, Misses Florence Dreer of Philadelphia, Mildred Hord of Nashville, Florence Carpenter and Margaret Fretta of Cleveland and Ann Pettard of Kansas City, Mo.

Berlin Shop, Olive and Taylor, shows the most extensive line of ladies' and gentlemen's Handkerchiefs.

Mr. and Mrs. William N. Matthews of 5505 Cabanne avenue have returned from the East, where they visited New York, Hot Springs, Va., and Old Point Comfort.

Mrs. Jereme C. Beam of 4509 Washington boulevard will depart this week to join Mr. Beam in Atlanta, Ga., where they will reside.

Miss Julia Maffitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Chouteau Maffitt, gave a luncheon Friday at her home, 4315 Westminster place, in honor of Miss Katherine Clifford, a bud of the season. The guests were Misses Catherine McCreery, Kathleen Cates, Mimi Floyd-Jones, Martha Pittman, Louise Pitzman and Frances Gray, all debutantes.

Mrs. Albert G. Blanke of 3421 Copelin avenue gave a luncheon Wednesday to announce the engagement of her sister, Miss Edythe Verborg and Andrew L. Nasch. The guests were members of Mrs. Verborg's bridge club. The marriage will take place in the spring.

The invitations are out for the annual guests' ball to be given at the clubhouse by the women of the Century Boat Club, Dec. 12, at 9 o'clock. The Entertainment Committee, consisting of Mesdames Van G. Hildebrand, Julius J. Wade, Lulu K. Burg, George W. Herthel, Robert W. Schery and Misses Emma Ziegenhein and Virginia Lutteke, is perfecting arrangements. All the affairs of the boat club are restricted to members and their families and this is the only function in the winter season to which guests may be invited. The proceeds will be used towards enlarging the reception and ladies' room when the proposed addition to the clubhouse is made next spring.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harrison Steedman of 401 North Newstead avenue gave a tea dansante yesterday in honor of Miss Elizabeth Overton and Miss Claire Macbeth. From there many many of the guests went to the Country Club for the weekly dinner dance, where Mrs. Walker Hill was one of the hostesses and entertained for her son, Lockwood Hill, and Louis Werner gave a dinner in honor of Miss Nellie Tracy.

The College Club gave an enjoyable production of Bernard Shaw's "Over Ruled" at the clubrooms in Sheldon Memorial on Saturday. The principal parts were assigned as follows:

Mrs. Juno, Miss Bertha Bates.

Libthorpe Juno, Mrs. George Neuhoff Jr.

Gregory Lunn, Miss Marion Clote.

Mrs. Lun, Mrs. Harry Collins.

The Dramatic Committee of the College Club, consisting of Miss Mary Grace, Carolyn Percy, Leita Albright Alice Miller, Eugenia Miltenberger, Dorothea Marsh, Josephine Angert, Mildred McCluney and Mrs. George E. Norton, supervised the performance. They will also have charge of the professional performance of "The Governor's Lady," which will be given at the Olympic Monday night.

The annual election of officers for the M. A. E. McLure Chapter, U. D. C., will take place at the Jefferson Memorial in Forest Park tomorrow at 2:30 p. m. A large attendance is desired.

All hats sacrificed, regardless of cost. Showing of Christmas novelties. Sally Meagher, Suite 801, Century Bldg.

The ladies of the Junior Charity Board of the Missouri Baptist Sanitarium will hold their annual sale at the Planters Hotel Thursday and Friday, from 1 to 9 p. m. They will have an entertaining program and an attractive display of novel hand-made articles.

At the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fitz-Roy, 4002 Labadie avenue, Miss Bess Fitz-Roy and Elmer F. Pohlman were married Wednesday.

The drawing room was decorated with

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To Overcome Winter Complexion Troubles

(From Woman's Tribune.)

If the chill air causes your skin to d and scale or become unduly red spotted, before you go to bed spread thin layer of ordinary mercolised wa over your entire face. Remove ne morning with warm water. This is t ideal complexion treatment for the wint girl. The wax gently absorbs the de particles of surface skin, so gradual there's no discomfort. This gives th underlying skin a chance to breat and to show itself. In a week or so th new and younger skin is wholly in ev dence and you have a really matchle complexion. Naturally all its defec disappear with the discarded cuticle—chaps, roughness, blotches, pimpl freckles, blackheads, sallowness. Usual an ounce of mercolized wax, procurab at any drug store, is enough to renova even the worst complexion.

Wrinkles need bother you no more you'll use this simple face wash: Pow dered saxolite, 1 oz., dissolved in witc hazel, ½ pt. Just one application w affect even the deepest lines, and ou your skin will be smooth as a child's. ADV.

Swope's
Complete Gift Stock

There are so many appropriate gift articles on display here that you can select practically all of your gift needs at Swope's. We urge, however, that you choose your requirements at the earliest possible moment, while the variety is more complete than it will be later on in the month. We list below a few suggestions—they will serve to indicate the wide range from which you can choose here.

Women's Boudoir Slippers, $1 to $3.
Women's Satin Mules, $3.50 to $7.50
Children's Slippers, 75c to $2.00.
Buckles, $2 and up.
Tango Sets, $2 to $15
Men's House Slippers, $1.50 to $3.50.
Men's Cased Traveling Slippers, $3 and $3.50.
Women's Dancing Slippers.
Riding Boots.
Carriage Boots.

and many other useful gifts too numerous to mention—most of them put up in special holiday boxes.

Our Leather Goods Section has a complete stock of all the most popular novelties for men and women and we urge you to visit it.

If, however, you are undecided what to give, let us suggest a Swope Gift Certificate—then the recipient can do the choosing at his or her convenience.

Swope Shoe Co.
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Write for Swope's Christmas Booklet illustrating Leather Goods novelties—sent free upon request.

Silvered Picture Frame FREE

Handsome, artistic silvered picture frame for your dresser or office desk. Here's the way to get one free.

OAKES CANDY COMPANY
512 Locust Street, St. Louis, Mo.
IS GIVING THEM AWAY, ABSOLUTELY FREE

Every purchaser of a two-pound box of their PREMIUM CHOCOLATES receives a dated coupon, and when two of these are presented at their store within 60 days from such date the holder is given a handsome burnished silvered oval frame, 3¼x4¾, with velvet easel back. Each box contains a fine selection of choice cream and nut centers, delicously flavored and covered by a thick coating of rich chocolate. PREMIUM CHOCOLATES, 80 Cents a Pound.

TRY OUR 25c MIDDAY LUNCHEON, ON SECOND FLOOR

Millinery Dept., Third Floor

Kline's
509 Washington Av., Near Broadway

Millinery Dept., Third Floor

Our Mid-Winter Millinery Sale

Will begin tomorrow morning—giving you choice of

All Trimmed Hats,
All Untrimmed Hats
and Trimmings at . . . . . 1/2 Price



None of these goods will be sent on approval, exchanged or accepted for return.

OUR entire stock is included in this remarkable clearance—offering values that have seldom, if ever, been equaled in this city—EVERYTHING, even those lines that have already been reduced, will go at half their present marked price.

To begin with, you can take your choice of all Trimmed Hats at half their plainly marked price—good everyday Street Hats that were $3.95 are now $2.00—and our finer Dress and Semi-dress Hats that were $10.00 and now $5.00—our $20.00 Hats are now $10.00—and so on.

The same offer applies to Untrimmed Hats—$2.00 Hats are now $1.00—$3.00 Hats are now $1.50—$4.00 Hats are now $2.00, and so on, including all our high-class shapes.

You can also take your choice of any Flowers, Fur Trimmings, Fancy Feathers, etc.—(Ostrich Plumes and Paradise excepted)—and pay half what they are marked.

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chrysanthemums and ferns. The ceremony was performed under a canopy of white chrysanthemums and studded with tiny bulbs. Robert Tate was best man, and the bride's sister, Miss Dorothy Fitz-Roy was maid of honor.

A dinner to the immediate families followed the ceremony, after which the couple departed for their wedding trip.

Miss Cora Guion, 4175 Washington boulevard has announced the engagement of her sister, Helen, to William F. Hannemann of Chicago. The wedding will take place Dec. 25. The bride-to-be is a daughter of the late Joseph A. Guion, a descendant of one of the old French families of St. Louis.

Miss Viola Esson and John B. Baumle of Pittsburg, Pa., were married at 4:30 p. m. Wednesday, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Esson, 2719 Glasgow avenue.

A party in honor of Miss Ada Gifford on her eighteenth birthday, at the residence of her aunt, Mrs. G. Wood, 1341 Shawmut place, last Saturday evening. Covers were laid for 22 guests. Miss Gifford was the recipent of many beautiful presents.

Berlin Shop, Olive and Taylor, shows the latest and most attractive Linen Novelties for Christmas gifts; prices moderate.

SOCIETY NOTES

The McKinley Athletic Club will hold its third reception at Lennox Hall, Taylor and Easton avenues, Wednesday evening.

A surprise party was given by Miss Ada Headsel, complimentary to Miss Blanche Stone, at her residence, 2247 Mullanphy street. The following guests were present: Misses H. Smith, P. Henchmann, M. Dobyns, K. Gogt, M. Murphy, B. Meyer, D. Zatharella, P. Miller, L. McCormick, A. McCormick, P. Kohva, M. Herrmann, E. Stone, F. McManns, E. Hearne; Messrs. M. Herrmann, Chester McAnnally, W. Windschiegel, W. McKie, L. Smith, E. Graham, W. Kavanaugh, J. Murphy, H. Lamson, L. Ferguson, J. Lee, J. Dorren, J. Meeks, T. Stone, J. Keller, J. Stewart, R. Anderson, W. Higgins, E. Craft, P. Hearne.

One of the society weddings of last week was that of Miss Helen J. Kruger and Herman H. Jasper at St. Liborius Church, Wednesday. The Rev. Hy Kister officiated. The bridesmaid was Miss Clara A. Jasper, sister of the bridegroom, who was attended by Ernest Israel, cousin of the bride. The bride was gowned in white charmeuse and the bridemaid wore apple green charmeuse and brocaded silk.

A reception was given at the home of the bride. Mr. Jasper and his bride will reside at 1914 Sullivan avenue.

The Robert E. Lee Chapter, Children of Confederacy, will meet at the residence of Miss Leonelle A. Cleveland, 7039 Horner avenue, Saturday at 2 o'clock. Thomas A. Cleveland will be assisting host. A full attendance is desired.

There will be a bazar and auction given by the Gen. C. D. Wolff Auxiliary, No. 5, at Loebig's Hall, Broadway and Geyer avenue, Saturday, from 10 a. m. to 11 p. m. Beautiful hand embroider/ to be sold and auctioneered.

From 15 to 30 per cent reduction on all Suits and Coats this month. Silberstein Ladies' Tailoring Co., 3230 Olive.

Mrs. Mary Schlosstein of 3724 Humphrey street, accompanied by her daughter, Augusta, has gone to Detroit, Mich., to attend the wedding of her son, Louis A. Schlosstein, and Miss Myrtle Blank. The wedding will take place tomorrow and will be a quiet affair, the Rev. William Marquis officiating, at the Episcopal Church. After a small reception, the couple will go to Chicago for a few days, and afterwards will come to their home at 3140 Miami street, St. Louis, where they will be at home in December. The bride will be attended by her sister as maid of honor. E. J. Norton, who is a first cousin of Mme. Nordica, the singer, will be best man.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Pilgrim Evangelical Lutheran Church will give a basar and social at their church, Fair and Florissant avenues, Dec. 3, from 2 to 10 o'clock. Lunch will be served from 5 to 9. The officers of the society are Mrs. H. Hoehle, president; Mrs. H. Bartman, vice-president; Mrs. George Bang, secretary; Mrs. Edwin Hoffman, treasurer.

The Danse Studio, 4517 Olive street, may be rented for dances and afternoon affairs. Forest 5270.

A luncheon was given Wednesday by Mrs. Henry C. Jensen of 5531 Cabanne avenue, as a surprise in honor of Miss Lee Jacobs of Berlin avenue.

The centerpiece on the dining table, laid for 14, was a real spinning wheel, at which sat a large doll, dressed as a Norwegian peasant girl. The color scheme was in delicate shadings of pink and gold. Presents of linen were presented to the guest of honor from all the guests. Those present were: Mrs. Geonard M. Lauer, Mrs. Clarence Wise, Miss Etta Cohn, Miss Bessie Wolfson, Miss Eva Sutter, Miss Lee Jacobs, Miss Deborah Oppenheimer, Miss Minnie Rosenblum, Mrs. I. S. Solomon, Miss Rosalind Schwartz, Miss Florence Lederer and Mrs. Charles Pansing.

A quiet wedding took place Friday night at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Vaughan, 4918 Page boulevard, when their daughter, Miss Sadie Vaughan, became the bride of Kenneth W. Hill. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Luther Todd of Wagner Place M. E. Church in the presence of members of both families. The couple will be at home after Dec. 15 at 5144 Ridge avenue.

Miss Lydia Geitz was entertained by a birthday party given by her aunt, Mrs. Sylvester Kastner, 5883 Cote Brilliante avenue, last Sunday. Those present were: Misses Mamie Geitz, Lydia Geitz, Mabel Schroeder, Ella Kastner, Alma Kastner, Adeline Grand; Messrs. Charles O'Keefe, William Mare, Roy Kastner, Edward C. Fortier, Joseph Kastner; Mrs. Theresa Wallis; Mr. and Mrs. George Kastner, Charles Scharp, William Stocker, Sylvester Kastner.

An enjoyable time was spent yesterday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Haenni, 3155 Eads avenue, the occasion being the twelfth birthday of their twin daughters, Marie and Catherina Haenni. Among those present were: Misses Mildred Hadley, Alice Hadley,

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MID-WINTER CLEARANCE SALE

Pufeles CLOAK CO.

Washington at Sixth

Our already conservatively-priced garments will be still further reduced in this great Clearance Sale which involves hundreds of

Coats--Suits--Waists

Coats of a $15 Value—Cheviots, diagonals, plush in three-quarter lengths with a dozen styles from which to select. Blue, gray, black, red, scarlet, brown and mixtures. Storm and rolled collars, straight and one and two button effects. Coats lined and unlined. Warm garments of exceptional wearing qualities—all sizes..... $9.90

Coats of a $20 Value—Bouele, zibeline, diagonals, cheviot with collars and cuffs of crushed velvet and plush. Shoulder capes. Practically every color is represented, also the smart English stripes and checks now so popular for automobiling and all outing purposes. All sizes..... $14.75

Coats of a Value to $30—The more elaborately trimmed Coats and novelties are in these two lots though there are many of the straight button effects. Set-in, bat wing and kimono sleeves. High-grade materials and superior workmanship. Coats that are suitable for general wear and for the dressiest occasions..... $16.95 and $19.75

We call particular attention to our coats of astrakhan and Ural lamb. These have just come in, 50 of them, and are the greatest bargains of the season. Priced $14.75 and $18.00.

Women's & Misses' Tailored Suits Greatly Reduced

Four groups that run the full gamut of style, color and size. Strictly tailored styles figure and several hundred trimmed models, the higher priced ones showing fur trimmings. Remember that there is no extra charge for alterations.

$17.50 to $20 Suits,	$22.50 to $25 Suits,	$25 to $29.75 Suits,	$30 to $45 Suits,
$9.90	$12.75	$14.75	$19.75

Waist Special at $3.98

Easily worth $6

These Waists are absolutely new and fresh, but come in for extra low pricing because of the occasion. $6 would be the price ordinarily. Beautiful crepe de chines in white, cream, terra cotta, rose, Hague blue, brown and tan. Drop shoulders, round and V-shaped collars of dainty net and cream embroidery. Vests of the net or of the silk. Some show high collars.

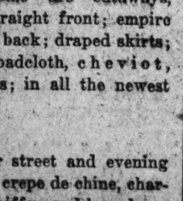
At this price we also show allover lace and embroidered nets with colored ribbons showing through, chiffons in all colors, corded in satin and ornamented with Rhinestone buttons. All sizes.

Note: Alterations Free—Fit Guaranteed.

Special Millinery Sale in Basement

$4 and $5 Trimmed Hats for $1.00

On Monday morning we will place on sale an unlimited number of chic and attractive Trimmed Hats, in silk velvets and plushes, in small, medium and large shapes; trimmed with ostrich fancies, wings and aigrettes; some with lace. Not shopworn, but clean and up-to-date Hats for every occasion, at the low price for Monday only, (come early)..... $1.00



Special Values $5 Dress Skirts At $2.95

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At $1.69 Messaline Petticoats That are shown in all the modish colorings for Winter wear, and in a host of pretty styles.

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Coats—$15.00 Coats at..... $8.95

$20 and $25 Coats at..... $11.50

$27.50 and $35 Coats at... $14.95

Suits—$17.50 Suits at..... $9.75

$20 and $25 Suits at..... $12.75

$30 and $35 Suits at..... $16.50

Dresses—$7.50 Dresses at..... $3.49

$15 and $20 Dresses at..... $8.75

$25 and $30 Dresses at.... $12.50

You will find in this unusual collection Coats suitable for all occasions in variety of materials and styles; in boucle, astrakhan, plush, zibeline, cheviot, novelty worsteds, Ural lamb; ¾ and full lengths.

Distinctive Suits in every new model; plain tailored and fancy trimmed; some are cutaways, others are straight front; empire and long tail back; draped skirts; materials, broadcloth, cheviot, eponge serges; in all the newest shades.

Dresses for street and evening wear; serges, crepe de chine, charmeuse, also chiffon and lace dancing frocks.

Fur-Muffs & Neck-pieces at ⅓ Regular Price

Lingerie Waists

Several Voile and Lingerie models, trimmed Val. and shadow lace—$2.00 values—at..... 95c

Chiffon and Lace Waists

$5.00 Values..... $2.89

$7.50 Values..... $3.95

$10.00 Values.... $4.75

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Extraordinary Occasion

Five weeks in advance of the usual date, we are conducting our

Semi-Annual Clearing Sale

THIS is an event of the utmost importance to the women of St. Louis, as it provides Steinberg qualities and Steinberg styles in mid-season at after-season prices.

EVERY outergarment in stock is offered at a great price reduction, and these low prices will remain in effect until every garment is disposed of.

THE advantages of this sale are manifold. The garments involved are of the highest character—they were chosen for the select clientele of this establishment—they meet the requirements of the most fastidious women—and the Clearance Sale prices now in effect bring them down to the cost of mediocre apparel.

Every garment is clean and fresh, in the same spick-and-span condition that it left the maker.



Every Evening Gown Reduced

Owing to the fact that there are so many exclusive models of which there is only one of a kind, we can not give you a detailed description of the various garments. There are magnificent gowns of velvet, charmeuse, charteuse, moire, brocaded velvet, etc., exquisitely trimmed and draped, in all the beautiful evening shades, as well as black and white. The values range from $40.00 up to $250.00—

Clearing Sale Prices, $22.00 to $175.00

Every Dancing Dress Reduced

A number of exceptionally attractive Dancing Dresses are included in this sale—very clever models—also exquisite Dinner Gowns formerly priced from $30 to $100—

Clearing Sale Prices, $22.50 to $48.75

Every Evening Wrap Reduced

Our magnificent stock of Evening Wraps, also Afternoon Wraps, is offered at extreme price reductions. The great range of styles and fabrics precludes a description. Former prices range from $47.50 to $325.00—

Clearing Sale Prices, $35.00 to $200.00

Every Coat Reduced

Our entire stock of fine Coats is offered at great reductions during this Clearing Sale. A great number of the popular-priced garments have been divided into two groups for quick choosing, and provide exceptional values.

Three-quarter length Coats—black, navy, taupe and brown—all sizes, formerly priced up to $32.50, reduced to..... $20.00

Three-quarter and seven-eighths Coats—black, navy, taupe, brown, tan and green—all sizes—formerly priced up to $40, reduced to..... $25.00

Every Suit Reduced

Our entire stock of ultra-fashionable tailor-made Suits has been subjected to extreme price reductions, and you may choose from the most exclusive styles the season has evolved. There are two special groups worthy of particular attention.

Suits of broadcloth, cheviot, and corded materials, also Fur-Trimmed Suits, in green, brown, black and navy—formerly priced to $60.00..... $29.75

Suits of suede cloth, broadcloth and all the new materials, in mahogany, purple, Copenhagen, navy, brown and black—formerly priced to $85.00..... $39.75

Entire Stock of Blouses Reduced

Entire stock of Chiffon Blouses, Lace and Crepe Blouses, is offered in this sale at

20% Reduction

200 Blouses, Manufacturers' Samples—Blouses of chiffon, crepe de chine, lace and silk—with long and short sleeves, high and low necks.

½ Price

Entire Stock of Trimmed Hats at ½ Price

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As a Christmas suggestion we mention this Cross All-Occasion Bag in green, black or purple Morocco; metal frame, silk lined; fitted with scent bottle, extra bottle, mirror, powder box and change purse. Price $7.25.

Other Bags for various purposes from $4.75 up.

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Newbro's Herpicide followed the discovery that dandruff is of germicidal origin. It was the first remedy ever given to science in harmony with this discovery. Other preparations have since been offered to the public, some similar in appearance, some in odor, but all betraying the daring promise of doing the same things that Herpicide has been doing for years.

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Newbro's Herpicide, in 50c and $1.00 sizes, is sold by all dealers, who guarantee it to do all that is claimed. If you are not satisfied your money will be refunded.

Send 10c in stamps for sample and booklet to The Herpicide Co., Dept. K, Detroit, Mich. Applications may be obtained at good barber shops. For sale at all drug and department stores.

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$75 French Seal Co... From the dozens of pretty styles we have selected a jaunty 45-inch silk or satin lined, French seal skin; a $75 one week only, $47.50.

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Gladys Sanguinet, Thelma Nast, Ilgr. Nast, Florence Bertini, Florence Warner, Mary Swift, Marjorie Bergs, Virginia Bergs, Elizabeth Mellon, Helen Oldeg, Mary Sullivan, Irene Haenni, Florence Haenni, Mary Teresa Bruns, Isabella Troyer, Martha Wessbecher, Marie Connor, Edith Mueller, Beatrice Tucker, Olivia Tucker, Catherine Tenner.

A tango party was given by Miss Clare Rosenkranz at her home, 3925 Cote Brilliante avenue, last Saturday evening. Those present were: Misses Agnes Boyce, Eulalie Daly, Fay Green, Glad Green, Bert Gross, Jewel Gross, Martha Lotzi, Edna Niemann, Clare Rosenkranz.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Duffy of Milwaukee, and her daughter have been visiting Mr. Duffy's father and sister of 3813 Page boulevard, prior to their departure for San Francisco, where they have taken passage on the Manchuria for Manila, their future home.

Special reduction on tailor-made suits also French models for sale cheap. A. Haluska, 5117 Delmar, Ladies Tailoring.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Meyer have returned, after spending four months abroad. They are at their home, 3749 Ann avenue.

Miss Nelda E. Peet of Indianapolis, Ind., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. William Ullrich of 2514 Montgomery street, for a fortnight.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Alexander of 2722 Ivanhoe avenue celebrated their twentieth wedding anniversary Monday evening. The following guests were present: Messrs. and Mmes. W. T. Pilcher, George Neff, Robert Pethebridge, S. Doyon, A. I. Keymer, H. Culling, C. A. Conners, F. Clissold; Misses Edith Doyon Pearse, G. D. Conners; Master C. A. Conners and F. Doyon.

A Thanksgiving dinner was given at the home of Miss Maybelle Balmer, 2106 Waverly place, assisted by E. Balmer, J. Balmer and M. Anselm. Dinner was served at 5, after which an enjoyable evening was spent. The guests were: Misses C. Miller, A. Niederweisser; Mmes. E. Balmer, George Geuss; Messrs. Charles Balmer Sr., Charles Balmer Jr., George Geuss, F. Witler, A. Drese, C. Downs, Jean Balmer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Buchler entertained in honor of their son, John's, twenty-first birthday, last Saturday evening. Musical selections were rendered by Miss Notobruck and Louis Elkins.

Berlin Shop, Olive and Taylor, is well equipped to do your initials and monograms for Christmas delivery.

A surprise party was given complimentary to Leonard Rabon at his home, 1437 Clara avenue, Thanksgiving eve. The following were present: Misses Violet Howell, Clara Mereto, Ida Mereto, Julia McCarthy, Agnes Lavin, Alice Krisman, Annie Rabon, Gladys Strode, Genevieve Nisselhary, Stella Barton, Clara Perper, Edna Groskky, Sarah Rabon, Hazel Maybury, Alma Helm, Mary Van Iseghem, Anna Van Iseghem, Adelaide Case, Marie Weida, Annie Cullen, Waldina Hildebrandt, Irene Smith, Elizabeth Lehneman and Mary Rabon; Messrs. Vincent Corrigan, William Baber, Stephen Aubuchon, Michael Grady, Joseph Wecker, William McAnany, Elmer Herchenroeder, Elmer Corrigan, Martin Nicholson, John Nicholson, Henry Abrahams, Benjamin Letson, William Wallice, Lester Brock, Carl Forester, William O'Donovan, Frank Goggin, George Weida, Charles Kamper, William Wolfson, John Bein and Arthur Stone.

Miss Hattie Gewinner entertained the Fern Club at her home, 3910 Shenandoah avenue, last Sunday. Those present were: Mmes. R. Recker, E. Ganter; Misses Milly Bothe, Elsa Guth, Adele Hesse, Laura Hesse and Anna Meier.

A pretty wedding of last Wednesday was that of Miss Rose Catherine Shea to Daniel Kelly, at St. Peter's Church, Kirkwood, the Rev. B. G. Stemker officiating. The bride was attended by Miss Stella Dreyer as maid of honor and Michael Kelly served his brother as best man. The bride was gowned in a robe of hand-embroidered French crepe. The tulle veil was arranged in a Juliet cap and held with tiny rosebuds, and she carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses. The maid of honor was gowned in pink crepe meteor trimmed with ermine fur, and carried a shower of Killarney roses. Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served to the relatives, at the home of the bride. The couple departed Wednesday evening for a tour of the South, and after Dec. 15 will be at their new home in Kirkwood.

Last Sunday Miss Jennie Maul of 4026 Labadie avenue entertained friends at a buffet supper. Covers were laid for 10. The table decorations, favors and place cards were in the autumn colors. Among those present were Misses Sarah Hopkins, Lulu and Mabel McQuiston, Lena and Louise Overstolz.

These women will serve as patronesses at the bazar and carnival given by the Shriners of Moolah Temple in their new home on Lindell boulevard on the nights of Dec. 3, 4, 5 and 6, also Saturday matinee: Mmes. H. F. Niedringhaus Jr., Anthony H. Wallis, Otto F. Stifel, John A. Laird, Emma Matthews, William Porteous, F. F. W. Krenning, A. D. Grant, John S. Manchester, Herman Mauch, C. A. Sinclair, Robert L. Morton and Walter Ashton.

The annual bazar of the Girls' Industrial Home will be held at the home, Belt and Von Versen avenues, Dec. 4-6. The bazar will be open from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m., and luncheon will be served from 12 to 2 p. m. All sorts of articles suitable for Christmas will be for sale. The proceeds will go toward the maintenance of the home. The Auxiliary Board supports the domestic science and kindergarten department.

Among the women interested in the work are Mmes. M. A. Handel, R. G. Boudler, S. H. H. Clarke, Charles A.

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A Master Purchase of $100,000

Choicest Feminine Apparel for $54,000—Sensation of a Decade!



THERE are times in a store's history when extraordinary buying opportunities arise. Such an opportunity came to Neusteter's when it was learned that the overstocked conditions of most stores had locked the New York market—that late mid-winter Paris fashions were on the hands of makers and that few stores were in position to purchase because they were overstocked. What did this mean?

"The Style Shop," with its unprecedented selling success this season, had its stocks at a minimum. It was scouting for the newest, the best in women's wear that could be purchased *at a price.* Here then, was our chance. Result: A flying trip to New York. A careful investigation. A comparison of values and fabrics—and

The Boldest and Biggest Purchase of Women's Finest Apparel Ever Made by Any Specialty Store in America.

With pardonable enthusiasm we announce, beginning tomorrow morning at 8:30 o'clock, this totally different

$100,000 Purchase Sale

Including Our Pick of the Entire N. Y. Market

A SALE SUCH AS HAS NEVER BEEN HELD IN THE HISTORY OF ST. LOUIS MERCHANDISING.

It is quite a common thing to be offered garments at marked-down prices, but it is an entirely different matter to be offered a carefully selected series of gigantic purchases which represent the newest in Fashion in Paris and New York.

Through our extraordinary policy of merchandising we were in a position to take advantage of unprecedented buying opportunities, due to unusual trade conditions.

The result was the consummation of purchases aggregating $100,000 worth of the finest Women's, Misses' and Girls' ready-to-wear apparel for $54,000, at an actual saving of $46,000—think of it—and what it means to you—that you can buy the average garment in this sale at about ***one-half price.***

The styles and makemanship our buyers dictated themselves so that every garment in this enormous event possesses real STYLE SHOP character. Modes that are positively authentic, in none but the most desirable fabrics for mid-winter wear. All at the most phenomenal savings, and backed up by the indisputable NEUSTETER GUARANTEE TAG, making every purchase absolutely safe.

After all, a mere price statement, no matter how seemingly low, is meaningless unless backed by the true value. You will promptly recognize the styles, fabrics and values in this sale as the most remarkable ever offered the St. Louis public. For **true values** this sale has never had an equal.

Styles that are now the newest fashion in Paris and New York.
Reproduction of models which are now causing furore in Paris.
Everything fashionable for madam, miss, junior or little girl before she reaches her teens.

Conditions of Sale:

Everything Exchangeable — No C. O. D. Without Deposit — No Approvals.

Charge patrons, on request, may have goods billed on January account

Payable in February.

Neusteter Guarantee Tag

IF this garment is not entirely satisfactory return it at once and we will exchange it or refund your money whichever you prefer

With this enormous purchase it would be impossible to attempt to name the different items and prices. But the following will give you some idea of

What this sale consists of:

GOWNS AND DRESSES of the newest silk and wool fabrics for street and afternoon wear, and from the simple little dancing frocks and party dresses to the most magnificent evening gowns. Can you imagine gorgeous silk dresses as low as 5.95.

COATS of fur fabrics, seal plush, English corduroy, Astrakhan, boucle, chinchilla, broadcloth, peau de peche, duvetyne, broches, velour de laine. A great many fur-trimmed evening and afternoon wraps in brocaded fabrics, chinchilla storm coats, general utility coats.

SUITS, in both smart plain tailored and dressy modes. New short coat styles in abundance. Velvet, broadcloth, broadtail; in fact, every desirable mid-winter fabric is included. A great many are fur trimmed. Elegant fur-trimmed Suits at 16.75.

FUR COATS of nearseal, Hudson seal, Scotch mole, caracul, Russian pony and mink marmot. Nearseal Coats with collars of civet cat, skunk, raccoon or fitch, at 47.50, are an instance of the values.

FURS—The best of their kinds. Matched sets and separate pieces, in ermine, red fox, white fox, Japanese fox, Kitt fox, skunk, Hudson sable, mink, civet cat, Scotch mole, black wolf, blue wolf, canary fox or fitch.

GIRLS,' Junior Girls' and Misses' apparel in distinctive styles—coats, suits and dresses.

MILLINERY—The latest styles in midwinter shapes, both trimmed and untrimmed Poirets Minaret Turbans, trimmed with nearseal fur at 3.95.

An enormous collection of Ostrich at 50c on the dollar.

CREPE DE CHINE UNDERWEAR, petticoats, negligees and boudoir gowns and SILK PETTICOATS. An all-silk fine messaline petticoat, for instance at 1.25.

BLOUSES, in chiffon, crepe, voile, shadow lace Georgette crepe, net, lingerie, etc. Fur-trimmed Blouses as low as 1.95.

THE BARGAIN BASEMENT will offer thousands of bargains in coats, suits, dresses, blouses and skirts, trimmed and untrimmed Hats—some as low as 25c on the dollar.
Satin-lined Seal Plush Coats, 7.95.

TO THE MEN: Here is an opportunity to solve your Christmas problems wisely and economically. It presents an opportunity to buy at **great savings for your wife, your mother, your sister or any other relative a practical gift—the kind that will be really appreciated. STYLE SHOP standards are known to every woman. There is nothing a woman cherishes more than something beautiful to wear, particularly if it is something which she does not care to spend the money for herself. And you take no chance when you buy here, for if the article you give does not fit or suit the person it is bought for, inform them that it is purchased with the privilege of exchange for any other garment in the store—for any reason whatsoever it may be readily exchanged.**

This Is GIFT-SELECTING WEEK

A fur set, an exclusive blouse, a boudoir gown, a fur coat, a wrap, an evening gown, a silk petticoat, an ostrich plume, Paradise, all of these make ideal Christmas gifts.

Every garment included is smart and attractive and shows distinctive features.
This will be a memorable occasion—early choosing is advisable.
A sale that is meant for the woman who wants to look and dress her best.
It took about 55 express wagons and automobile trucks, part of which are shown in the accompanying photograph, to deliver these immense purchases. Our entire establishment from basement to roof will be filled with these garments and 100 extra salespeople have been engaged to give you quick and active service.
Whatever your ready-to-wear needs may be, you can satisfy them in this sale at prices much lower than you expected to pay.
You can buy any garment with the utmost assurance that you can rely upon it. If, after you get it home you find it not what you expected, bring it back and get your money.

IMPORTANT TO CHARGE PATRONS—Women who find that they will be taxed too severely on account of Yuletide coming on, in order to pay for their purchases in January, we will, on request, gladly put any purchase in this sale on January bill and make it PAYABLE IN FEBRUARY.

I consider this the most important event this store has ever announced. It means an actual saving to purchasers of $46,000 on their mid-winter apparel—newest apparel that measures up to every "Style Shop" standard.

(Signed) Mary Neusteter
President.



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Washington at Seventh

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Biggers, J. D. Thompson, Julius C. Birge, R. D. Patterson, W. K. Bixby, E. B. Pryor, J. H. Hoskins, Fred D. Gardner, Ludwig Kotany, Forrest Ferguson, William B. Dear Jr., R. W. Eastlick; Misses Belle Baker, Mary Scudder, Isabelle Messman, Frances Knight, Annie Maud Kennedy, Lassie L. Quinette, Dorothy Niedringhaus and Madge Maddox.

Mrs. Kenneth Green and Mrs. J. Arthur Corbitt will have charge of the guessing contest, and the person guessing the nearest number of seeds in a large pumpkin will have her choice of three articles.

The first of the Twentieth Century Boat Club teas will be given at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 3, at Mr. Brey's studio, 421 North Seventh street. Members and friends of the club are invited.

One of the enjoyable events of the coming week will be the Falcons' ball at the Buckingham Hotel, Saturday evening.

The Emanons held their regular meeting at the home of Miss Edith Mednik, 4298F Cook avenue, Tuesday. The members are Misses Hattie Ruben, Minnie Sohn, Selma Silberstein, Edith Mednik, Dorothy Silberstein, Edith Glatstein; Messrs. Joseph Olean, Maurice Grodsky, Theodore Marglous, Arthur Stone, Louis Miller and Sam Grodsky.

A surprise party was given in compliment to Matilda Unrath last Saturday in honor of her birthday at her home, 4943 Margaretta avenue. Among those present were Misses Rose Semoney, Mollie Lalk, Georgia Reppell, Annie Schatzel, Minnie Schatzel, Mamie Anelack, Nona Stretch, Alice Fahle, Cramer, Matilda Unrath; Messrs. W. H. Otto, Ernst Held, Charles Wilke, Fred Boremann, Fred Otto, Frank Browdrick, Carl Siebert, L. Bracy, Oliver, W. Lingelhoff, A. L. Athen, Harry Unrath; Mmes. C. Althen, K. Reppell, L. McGrath.

The annual dress ball will be given by the St. Louis Zion Council, Wednesday evening, Dec. 3, at Westminster Hall, 3806 Olive street.

A tango tea was given by Miss Jennie Cohen at her home, 4158 West Belle place, last Sunday evening. Those present were: Misses Rose Shucart, Esther Rosen, Blanche Cohen, Sadie Ellman, Shirley Bartfeld, Esther Cohen, Edith Mednik, Edith Freeman, Jennie Cohen.

A surprise birthday party was given last Saturday evening in honor of Miss Elsie Vorbeck, at her home, 4219 Russell avenue. Among those present were: Misses Mira Rames, Vera Darrar, Winnie Darrar, Marie Judy, Marie Vorbeck, Irene Kammann, Elsie Vorbeck, Mae Stauder, Filomen Stauder, Nellie Kelly, Mae Barrett, Maude Vorbeck, Mary Vorbeck; Messrs. Richard Scott, Joe Kelly, John Vorbeck, Fred Britton, Harry Barrett, Lavega Dell, Lawrence Taylor, George Carr, Sam Covert, Hugh Sommers, Ed Johnson, Willie Corcoran, Ed Dorlac, Louis Regal, Joe Vorbeck.

One of the events of the coming week will be the opening ball of the Colonials at Westminster Hall, Tuesday evening. All the latest dances of the season will be on the program. The Colonials are well known in the social circle and have invited a great number of guests.

The McKinleys met at the home of H. Vogelbein, 4232 Oakland avenue, Tuesday evening. Arrangements were completed for their dance at Clendenen's, Tuesday evening, Dec. 9.

Mrs. Alice Podesta entertained the Unity Club of Midland Heights last Thursday. The members present were: Mesdames J. H. Stueve, F. X. Schmitt, L. C. Arment, George Heath, H. G. Phelps, E. C. Barnhart, J. Wunderlich, C. Hillman, N. Spor. The guests were Mrs. Louis Baptiste of Midland Heights and Mrs. George Dohovan of St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chilton Estes of 5527 Cabanne avenue are stopping at the Roselle Hotel, 4137 Lindell boulevard, for the winter.

A "tango tea" was given at the home of Miss Lydia Nottlemann, 5835 Garfield avenue, last Sunday. Present were: Misses M. Nottlemann, A. Nottlemann, F. Lenhardt, F. Block, D. Block, R. Hall, M. Bohn, M. Carney, H. Stremme, B. Stein, B. Shroer, A. Frohwitter, L. Thomas, E. Merritt, B. Merritt, A. Nottlemann, and Messrs. C. Moore, G. Colemann, R. Schmidt, N. Lever, A. Yawitz, H. Fisch, E. Hartmann, F. Biggs H. Alberts, A. Jackson, G. Weber, D. Meyers, M. Rall, M. Goldstein, D. Clasemann and C. Evans.

SHH! LADIES! SECRET TO DARKEN YOUR FADED GRAY HAIR—USE SAGE TEA

Sage Tea Mixed with Sulphur Restores Natural Color and Luster to Hair—Just Comb or Brush it in the Hair.

Why suffer the handicap of looking old. Gray hair, however handsome, denotes advancing age. We all know the advantages of a youthful appearance.

Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray and looks dry, wispy and scraggly just a few applications of Sage Tea and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundred fold.

Either prepare the tonic at home or get from any drug store a 50 cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," ready to use; but listen, avoid preparations put up by druggists, as they usually use too much sulphur, which makes the hair sticky. Get "Wyeth's" which can always be depended upon to darken beautifully and is the best thing known to remove dandruff, stop scalp itching and falling hair.

By using Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur no one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair. It does it so naturally and evenly—you moisten a sponge or soft brush, drawing this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time which requires but a few moments. Do this at night and by morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two its natural color is restored and it becomes glossy and lustrous and you appear years younger.—ADV.

Back to the Farm for the Biggest Railroad Chief

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stalled. Wood was used as fuel for the locomotive as well as for stoves. And freight rates in those days, on the average, were about three times as high as they are at present.

"As the railways pushed out into the newly settled regions those regions began to grow and prosper. Hamlets became villages, villages became towns, towns grew into cities. The development of the country and the development of the railroads were interdependent. This always has been so and always will be.

"There in the little station, Chickasaw, I learned to be a telegraph operator. At that time A. J. Eerling also was a telegraph operator—he is now president of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul. F. D. Underwood, president of the Erie, was a freight brakeman. J. J. Hill was agent for a steamboat line on the levee at St. Louis, where he sold coal.

"Every once in awhile," Brown went on, "somebody asks me if I think there are opportunities left in the railroad field for young men fitted to push ahead in the world. My absolute conviction is that there are 10 opportunities today where there was one when I commenced, for the simple reason that in railroad work there are 10 places today where formerly there was one.

"Well, I kept hard at work down there until finally, in the spring of 1870, I was appointed night operator in the train despatcher's office at Minneapolis, where I learned train despatching. At that time Minneapolis was a big village, with only one railroad leading out to the East, the Iowa division of the St. Paul, and that had been completed only about three years. When I arrived in Minneapolis the old Nicolet House was the largest and finest hotel in the Northwest. There were many Indians about Fort Snelling and Mendota; St. Paul and Minneapolis were really on the frontier. This gave me some faint idea of the marvelous changes that I have seen in the course of comparatively few years.

"During that time we have had some periods of depression to punctuate our general history of remarkable prosperity and we will have periods of depression in years yet to come. But the rains will fall in their season and the sun will continue to shine and the earth is going to produce, with the almost nation-wide improvement in agricultural conditions.

"As for the immediate future, I look for a very marked increase of production each year for each acre cultivated. The country is becoming aroused to the absolute necessity of more intelligent methods of farming in order to supply the food we must have and it is inevitable that our production per acre will increase heavily.

"Right here I wish to venture another and closely related thought. Not merely will our farms increase their product enormously, but the factories and mills bid fair to go ahead by leaps and bounds in the most extraordinary industrial development the world has yet seen. The result will be such an increased production from farm and factory that it is a serious question whether our transportation facilities will be able to keep up with it.

"If the railroads do not develop their facilities for handling the increased productions of farms and factories a most unfortunate situation will arise, for the producer depends upon the railway for commercial well being exactly as the human system depends on the circulation of the blood. Of what use will it be to have an enormous production from farms and factories if it cannot be moved? In such a case the situation might be like that of my boyhood days in Northern Iowa, when we grew far more than he could consume and yet were unable to get the surplus to market."

"Remember, please," Brown added, "I am going out of the railroad business and out of all railroad association. After Jan. 1 every interest I have will be identified with the producer and the shipper. But I am satisfied that unless the railroads are permitted to make a reasonable increase of rates for the services they perform we are going to see the other lines of business so far outgrow transportation facilities as seriously to cripple and retard the development of all lines of business in the country. In other words, the agricultural and industrial plants will succeed in producing such a tonnage that the railroads will be unable to handle it unless they are permitted to get an income wherewith to enlarge their facilities."

The retiring president of the New York Central walked across his office and picked up a framed photograph showing a group of a dozen boys, ranging in age from 14 to 17—bright-looking lads they were, alert, keen, evidently "on the job."

"Here is one thing I have been interested in," Mr. Brown said. "Long ago, when I first realized the seriousness of the food question in this country, I requested competent persons and in the Middle West to select a group of boys who were worth while, who had the intelligence, vim and enthusiasm to do something in the world and who were willing to go into farming as a life business. Then I had the great pleasure of sending these lads to the State Agricultural School, where they were taught intelligent farming. The plan has been repeated with a number of groups, and I consider that the money spent for their tuition, board and so on is a very good investment."

"Do you expect to keep on educating boys in that way?"

"I hope to do so, and I may add that it is a form of service which a number of men are doing in various parts of the country. All such men realize, I think, that production of food must be increased on a large scale and as soon as possible. This is imperative. And to my mind the actual training of intelligent farming is not more necessary than instilling the truth that agriculture is about the most important occupation in which able young men can engage."

Want to rent a nice WARM room for the winter? Read today's Wants.

Inaugural Date Change to Be Pushed

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Efforts will be made early in the new session of Congress toward a favorable report from the Senate Judiciary Committee on the Shafroth resolution to begin the terms of President, Vice-President, senators and representatives on the first Monday of January immediately following election.

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$10 Value,	$15 Value,	$20 Value,	$25 Value,
$5.95	$9.95	$12.95	$14.95

Tomorrow will mark the Greatest Coat Event of years—we've prepared a sensational sale that offers the biggest saving on record for the most desirable Winter Coats demanded by fashionable women and misses.

Included Are All of Fashion's Smartest Favorites.



Each coat richly embellished with luxurious trimmings of fur, plush, and contrasting fur fabrics, cloths and ornamented with elaborate silk braid ornaments.

Fur Fabric Coats—Salts Arabian—Boucle—Chinchillas—Wool Plush—Salts Astrakhan—Brocade Velour—Matelasse—Zibelines—Broadcloths.



Clearance of Suits

Choice of Any Winter Suit in the House

$8.95 $12.95 $16.95

These suits come in all the desirable materials. The coats are cut in the newest lines and the skirts are the gracefully draped models—suits we formerly sold from $15.00 up to $40.00; clearing price,

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$7.50 $12.75 $15.00 and $24.75

NEVER before have we been called upon to make such radical reductions as this sale offers—here are the most elegant and exclusive creations we have shown this season—Dresses for every occasion—the finest Afternoon Frocks, Street Dresses and Evening Gowns—in dark and light shades of finest silks, brocades, velvets, chiffons and laces—the very Dresses that you may have seen here and so greatly admired earlier in the season, and which heretofore were marked up to $75.00—all go in this sale at the wonderfully low prices named above. We urge you to visit our store tomorrow, that you may see just what this offer means to you.

Special Clearance of

Coats and Wraps

That formerly sold from $15.00 up to $125.00—all in four great lots at

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PRACTICALLY every fine Coat and Wrap in our entire stock is included in this sweeping offering—the most exquisite Afternoon and Evening Wraps—the finest Motor Coats, in imported rough mixtures—the choicest Coats for street and utility wear—Coats that were recognized as the greatest values in St. Louis at their former prices which ranged up to $125.00—tomorrow at the greatly reduced prices named above.



Wonderful Offering of

Handsome Suits

That formerly sold up to $65.00—in three lots at

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Just think of buying the finest Suits—worth up to $65.00—at prices like these.

THIS offering comprises not only our own high-class stock of tailored and fancy draped suits—but also several extraordinary purchases which have recently been made by our New York buying organization—an endless assortment for your selection, including every new model, every popular style and all the most pleasing fabrics and colorings—choice of practically the finest suits in the entire stock at the prices named above.

WAIST SALE

$1.25 Waists for— 79c

Newest styles in voile and batiste — lace and button trimmed—many with net vests and lace yokes — high or low neck — scores of charming styles—$1.25 values at, 79c.

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Beautiful styles in batistes and voile Blouses—trimmed in Val. and Cluny laces—new collar effects—ornamented with black bows—actual $1.98 and $2.50 values for $1.49.

Waists worth up to $2.98—for $1.98

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Waists worth up to $10.50—for $6.75

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The following will give you some idea of the unusual reductions we have made throughout this department.

$25.00 CIVET CAT MUFFS

$16.50

Beautiful large Pillow Muffs of civet cat, in heavy and light markings—perfectly matched—with full down beds and finest satin linings—$25 value at $16.50.

$65.00 FRENCH SEAL COATS

$49.75

Luxurious Seal Coats in short nobby styles—new butterfly sleeves and combined with mole, ermine, skunk, Fitch and chinchilla collars—lined with finest brocade and ribbed silk—$65.00 value, $49.75.

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An unusually large lot of separate Muffs in black, brown, gray and white Isabella fox, squirrel, muffon, wolf, river mink, Hudson lynx, seal, opossum, etc., to match your Winter coat.

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Finest $7.50 Skirts for—

BEAUTIFUL assortment of skirts in plaids, serges, chevIots, honeycombs, waffle cloths, etc.—in all the newest styles and colorings—values up to $7.50—in this sale at $3.75. $3.75

$10.00 and $12.50 Skirts—

CHOICE of any of our finest Dress Skirts—in French two-tone plaids, bouCles, brocades, duretyne, messaline and fine poplin—in front, side and back drapes, pegtop, tier and other newest styles — values up to $12.50—at $6.95. $6.95

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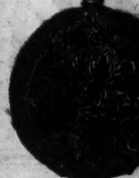
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An organ recital by Oscar H. Jost, assisted by J. Thornton Flynn, tenor, will be given tomorrow night at the First Presbyterian Church, Sarah and Washington boulevard, under the auspices of Missouri Chapter, American Guild of Organists.

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BECKER CONTENDS HE WAS VICTIM OF A CONSPIRACY

Condemned Man's Appeal Contends Schepps Was an Accomplice.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Twenty-five reasons why former Police Lieut. Charles Becker should not be executed for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler, will be presented next week to the State Court of Appeals. Becker is now in Sing Sing prison under sentence of electrocution. His attorneys said today that the court probably would devote four days to hearing arguments on his appeal from conviction.

Becker, says the appellants' brief, is "a victim of the greatest conspiracy of the age. He was not given a chance for his life. The effect of the ruling of the court made the trial a mockery."

One of the principal arguments in Becker's behalf will be that Sam Schepps, the chief corroborative witness for the State, was an accomplice. His attorneys complain that the trial was rushed through and that Becker was convicted by public opinion.

Stuck Pictures Alaska as the Loafer's Paradise

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these crimes 12 men have been hanged. I do not know the number of murders on the American side, but it has certainly been no less, and no one has been hanged.

"Yet crimes of violence are comparatively rare, chiefly because no one carries a pistol or revolver. Men have their rifles, but they keep them at home, and the man with sidearms is considered a che-chako, or tenderfoot. The same stigma attaches to anyone who carries an umbrella. Custom, in this case, has more power than a law might have." (I nodded assent, as I thought of the modest measure of success which the St. Louis police have had in enforcing the stringent "gun-toting" law.)

"But there is a high proportion of insanity in Alaska. Men off by themselves, prospecting, with nothing to read, lose their minds and sometimes a dozen insane men have been brought down on one steamer. We are trying to relieve these conditions by free distribution of reading matter on our mission launch, the Pelican. In some camps of fifty or one hundred men, our launch furnished the only reading matter."

Alaska—again I am speaking of the interior, will not, in my opinion, be a country which will attract permanent settlement unless quartz mining can be developed there. Placer mining means mushroom towns, quickly deserted, and interior Alaska is full today of such dead towns, reclaimed by the wilderness.

"There is a project for a $40,000,000 railroad from Valdez to Fairbanks. In my opinion, one-half the amount, spent on trails and highways, penetrating the country, would do far more good.

"It is a thing to be deplored that the mild and gentle native people of Alaska are threatened with extinction. There is no economic reason for this, as there was in the case of the American Indian tribes. It is not that anyone wants their lands, but the lowest class of white men have spread vice and disease among them, and they have become the prey of tuberculosis. An important part of my errand in this visit is to get funds for two modern tubercular hospitals on the Yukon, for the relief of these people, and as the basis of an effort to save them from becoming extinct within a few generations."

Archdeacon Stuck is not a medical missionary, but in Alaska any missionary must do medical work, and he carries a medicine bag on his journeys to the interior. He has had, also, to act as an undertaker, and tells of having superintended the digging of graves, with the temperature 50 below zero, where the ground must first be thawed by a succession of fires. One man whom he thus buried was frozen to death while cutting wood for fuel; another was found frozen in his cabin.

The archdeacon is a bachelor. His ecclesiastical superior, Bishop Rowe, has a family, but makes his home in Seattle. This is not so far from his work as it might seem, for to go from a number of points, on the Alaskan coast, to other points on the same coast, one must travel via Seattle.

BUSINESS MEN TO VISIT SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS

Another Trade Excursion Planned by Local League Is to Cuba and Panama.

The St. Louis Sales Managers' Bureau, a section of the Business Men's League, is perfecting the details for two trade extension trips for its membership and for such others as will join in them. The first is to Panama, to leave St. Louis Feb. 3. The other is to the east coast of South America, leaving St. Louis March 7.

On the Panama trip a special steamer will be chartered from New Orleans, which will make stops at Havana, Cuba, and Kingston, Jamaica, giving the excursionists time at each place to open business relations with the merchants for St. Louis products. The stop at Panama will be long enough to permit of thorough inspection of the canal from both entrances.

The trip to South America is expected to give St. Louis wholesalers and manufacturers the opportunity to open up important trade relations in the larger cities. This trip will start in a special ship from New York. Stops will be made of from one to six days at Bahia, Rio Janeiro, Santos, Montevideo and Buenos Ayres. Arrangements will be made for those who wish to return via Europe or by the west coast of South America to do so.

C. H. Schlapp of the Krenning-Schlapp Grocer Co. is chairman of the Trade Extension Committee in charge of the two excursions.

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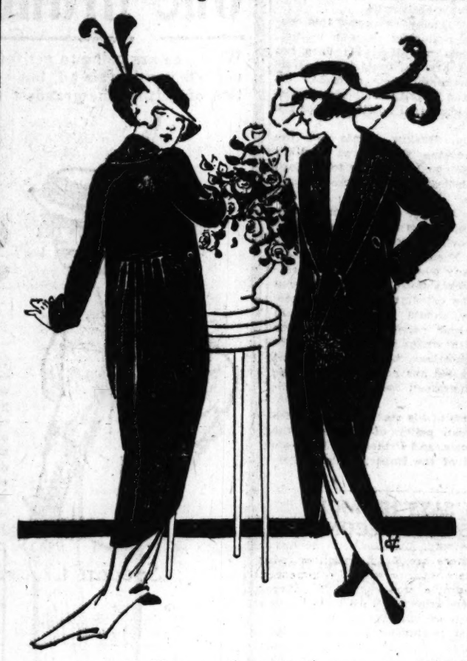
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Mid-Season Reduction Sale

$85,000.00 Stock of Suits, Coats, Dresses, Furs and Waists Must Be Sacrificed Immediately

THIS is a sale born of necessity—our stocks are too heavy—far heavier than they should be at this time of the year. The temperature is the cause—the warm weather has certainly played havoc. Instead of Winter, Summer is with us, and threatens to remain. The result is, we have o nhand an immense stock of Fall and Winter garments that must be sacrificed. We recognize that the conditions require drastic action, and we would rather take a loss now than wait until the end of the season, because now it will be of greater benefit to our customers.



The sale will begin tomorrow morning at 8:30 o'clock and the women and misses who have their winter garments to buy will be elated with the great reductions in effect.

About 1000 Cloth Suits

For Women and Misses

That formerly sold from $14.95 up to $55.00 at

$7.95, $12.95, $17.50, and $24.75

THESE remarkable Suit reductions are what you would expect at the end of the season instead of now. The stock is too heavy—that is the whole story, and because of the stock being heavy, you have an opportunity of choosing from the greatest variety of styles. The collection embraces some very elegant models—in plain tailored and fancy trimmed styles. The prices now in effect represent about one-half the former selling prices. We urge your early selection Monday morning.

Extra Special

50 satin-lined black Broadcloth Coats—plain tailored—full length, also 20 Novelty Mixture Coats. On special sale at..... **$4.95**

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THIS sale is sweeping in its character—it involves every style of Coat imaginable. There are beautiful panne plush and velour Wraps, suitable for afternoon and evening wear — elegant fur-trimmed Coats of cloth and textile fabric—plain tailored and fancy trimmed Coats of boucle, velour and novelty materials. In a word, every new and desired fashion is here—every wanted fabric—and they are going to be sold at prices that represent savings of one half and more.

All Skirts in 3 Groups

Our entire stock of Skirts has been divided into three groups for quick disposal. Values up to $12.50, choice at **$2.95, $3.95** and **$5.95.**

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DRESSES for every occasion—of silk chiffon, crepe meteor, charmeuse, velvet and cloth. An opportunity to buy rich, elegant costumes at about the cost of the material. This is surely an inducement to add to your wardrobe.

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$59.50 Mink Muffs	$29.75	$35.00 Civet Cat Sets	$19.75
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PUBLICATIONS

SCRIBNER'S MAGAZINE

Some Important Announcements for 1914

Theodore Roosevelt in South America

He will contribute to Scribner's Magazine the account of his trip of adventure and research into the Paraguayan and Brazilian interiors, through the great tropical forests which so few white men have ever traversed.

From the *New York Sun*:

COLONEL ROOSEVELT IN HIS MOST ATTRACTIVE ROLE

No living American can be better qualified to explore the wilds of South America and to describe its flora and fauna and its savage and tremendous scenery with a sympathetic and kindling interest than Theodore Roosevelt.

A Famous Writer's First Long Novel

Early in the year the Magazine hopes to begin the first long novel by an American author whose work has been not only of the first rank but based upon a deep and unfailing optimism. His short stories and poems are among the best known wherever the English language is read, and his first novel will be awaited with uncommon interest.

By Madame Waddington

A new series of articles—"My First Years as a Frenchwoman, 1876-9." The political and social aspects of these years, important personages of the times in diplomacy, literature, and art, the people met at state functions, dinners, balls, the opera, the theatres, are commented upon in the author's own inimitable and delightful way.

Articles by Price Collier

The late Price Collier, author of "England and the English from an American Point of View," "Germany and the Germans from an American Point of View," etc., had completed several of his projected articles on the SCANDINAVIAN countries. These are expected to appear in the Magazine during the coming year.

By Richard Harding Davis

"Breaking into the Movies." Some of the excitement and humor of staging a great moving picture play.

Short Stories

By Rudyard Kipling, Sir Gilbert Parker, Henry van Dyke, Richard Harding Davis, Katharine Holland Brown, James B. Connolly, Mary R. S. Andrews, Gordon Arthur Smith, Mary Synon, Barry Benefield, Abbie Carter Goodloe, and many others.—A remarkable group of stories by Katharine Fullerton Gerould, author of "Vain Oblations."

A Short Serial: Maje

A Love Story by Armistead C. Gordon. A tender Idyllic story of the old South.

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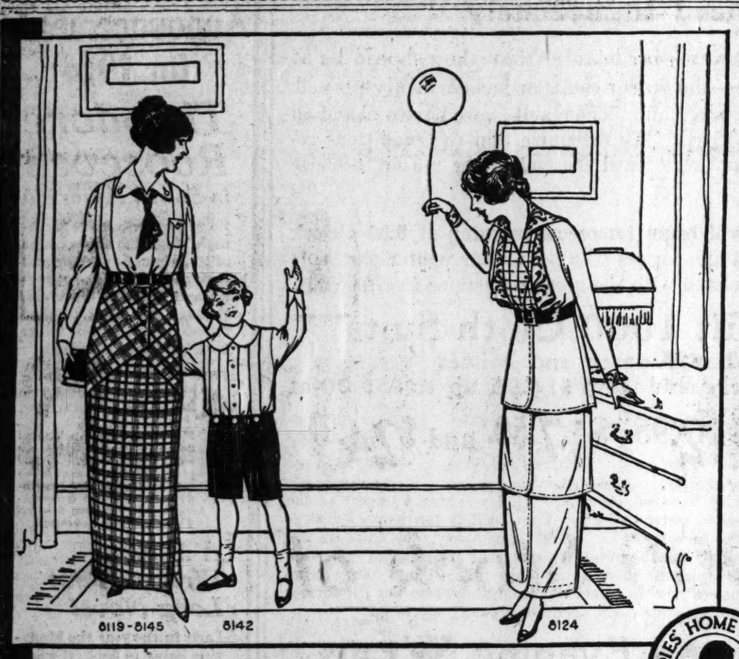
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Organ Recital in Connection With Oratorical Program.

An organ recital and oratorical contest on temperance subjects for a gold medal will take place Tuesday night at the King's Highway Presbyterian Church, King's Highway and Cabanne avenue, under the auspices of the Central Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

Among the contestants who will deliver orations will be Mrs. C. Mounts, Mrs. Margaret Blackburn, Mrs. M. F. Harrington, Mrs. Frank Burgess, Mrs. William Walker and Miss Nina Nicholson.



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FRANCE CONFIRMED FOE, VON BUELOW WARNS GERMANS

Former Imperial Chancellor Says Taking of Alsace and Lorraine Won't Be Forgiven.

By Associated Press.

BERLIN, Nov. 29.—Prince Bernhard von Buelow, formerly German Imperial Chancellor, today abandoned the silence which he once declared he would maintain until death. He does this in order to warn his countrymen, he says, that inveterate hostility to Germany is the soul of French policy. This, he declares, will continue so long as Frenchmen have the slightest hope of regaining Alsace-Lorraine by their own efforts or with outside assistance.

Prince von Buelow expressed this conviction in a review of German politics, published this morning. He does not criticise the French, declaring that he fully comprehends their attitude. On the other hand he criticises indirectly the Emperor's occasional holding out of the olive branch.

Prince von Buelow points out the folly of ignoring this inbred hostility of the French and of trying to arrange German relations with France on any other basis.

"It is idle to hope for a reconciliation with France," he says, "without restoring the provinces of Alsace and Lorraine. The French determination to attack Germany whenever there is a prospect of success must continue to be a factor in the calculations of statesmen.

"Germany should try to maintain courteous and correct relations with France, with whom she can co-operate in minor questions, but she should not chase fantasies nor aspire to overcome France's ingrained rancor by compliments."

Other parts of his statement deal with the Moroccan policy of Germany, the Boshian crisis, and Prince von Buelow's resignation of the Imperial Chancellorship.

SAYRES SAYS HE AND WIFE WERE RECONCILED

Husband of Woman Who Took Acid Says They Planned to Live Together Jan. 1.

A verdict of suicide resulted from the inquest yesterday in the case of Mrs. Gladys Sayres of 5076A Kensington avenue, who died at St. Luke's Hospital Thursday night after swallowing carbolic acid at her home.

Mrs. Sayres lived with her mother, Mrs. Ida Boggs. She had told that her daughter's act was caused by refusal of her husband, George N. Sayres of 3940A Cook avenue, to become reconciled with her after a separation of two months. Sayres testified, however, that there had been a reconciliation and that his wife was to have returned to him Jan. 1. He and his wife were out together Thanksgiving Day, he said, and they had no quarrel.

Sayres told reporters that the trouble between himself and his wife was caused by his mother-in-law, who did not like him. He explained that he always loved his wife and had it not been for interference they would have lived happily.

DENISON'S POLITICS PUT JOB IN DOUBT

Senate Democrats Hold Up Appointment but Pass Three Others for Island Jobs.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—President Wilson's nomination of Winfred T. Denison to be Secretary of the Interior for the Philippines, was held up today by Democrats of a Senate committee, who want to look into Denison's politics. Denison was an Assistant Attorney-General under the Taft administration, accredited to the Progressive Republicans.

Nominations of Henderson Martin, to be Vice-Governor, and Clinton L. Riggs, to be Secretary of Commerce and Police, were reported favorably.

Late today the Senate, 26 to 24, confirmed the nomination of L. E. Pinkham of Massachusetts to be Governor of Hawaii.

APPEAL IN 1,000,000 WORDS

Case of Cash Register Officials Goes to Higher Court.

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 29.—President John H. Patterson and 28 other officials or former officials of the National Cash Register Co. of Dayton, O., who were convicted last year of violating the criminal section of the Sherman anti-trust law, filed an appeal in the United States District Court of Appeals here today.

Despite the fact that the appeal is only a condensed resume of the case, it contained more than a million words and was written on 2089 pages. It is the most voluminous appeal ever presented to the local court.

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SCULPTOR RODIN SUED

He Unjustly Accused Dealer of Selling a Fake Radium.

PARIS, Nov. 29.—Sculptor Rodin is being sued by an art dealer who recently was accused by Rodin of selling a fake Rodin. Rodin had made the accusation after examining a bronze statue entitled "The Earth."

The dealer persisted in its genuineness, so Rodin, on being requested to re-examine it, confessed to having made a mistake in his first conclusion and acknowledged the work to be his own. He may have to pay heavy damages.

You don't consider the advertising cost AFTER vacant rooms are RENTED to good roomers. Post-Dispatch "Wants" RENT THEM—and the cost is a TRIFLE.

SPENCER TO HANG DEC. 19

Slayer Sentenced After He Calmly Repudiates Confession.

AURORA, Ill., Nov. 29.—Harry Spencer, murderer of Mrs. Mildrea Allison Rexroat, was sentenced today to be hanged at Wheaton, the county seat, Dec. 19.

Spencer argued for a new trial himself and repudiated his confession to the murder, but was overruled by Judge Slusser. The insane manner with which he tried to impress the jury at the trial was absent today. He spoke calmly and without gesture.

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$25 to $35 Suits, $16.50



In this special group of clever Suits, which we will place on sale tomorrow, will be many of the season's best and highest class, newest models that have sold at $25 to $35; materials that are only the latest 1913 and 1914 creations and most beautiful hand-tailored Peau de Cygne or Skinner satin lined; in every size for misses 14, 16 and 18, as well as at 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48; a special variety for large women; come tomorrow for a bargain.

$15 and $17.50 SUITS, $7.95

We are going to clean up a big lot of fine suits Monday at a tremendous sacrifice; satin lined; all-wool serge, cheviots or fancy material suits; well tailored, fancy or plain models; sizes up to 46; all colors, brown, navy, black or gray. Come tomorrow, **$7.95.**

1000 COATS at ½ Prices on Sale Monday

$7.50 all-wool Ladies' or Misses' Coat	$3.95
$10.00 all-wool Ladies' or Misses' Coat	$5.00
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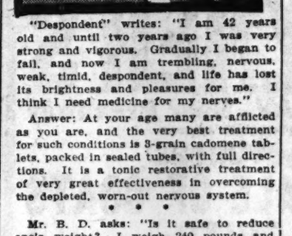


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The DOCTOR'S ADVICE

by Dr. Lewis Baker

The questions answered below are general in character, the symptoms of diseases are given and the answers will apply to any case of similar nature.

Those wishing further advice, free, may address Dr. Lewis Baker, College Bldg., College-Elwood Sts., Dayton, O., enclosing self-addressed stamped envelope for reply. Full name and address must be given, but only initials or fictitious name will be used in my answers. The prescriptions can be filled at any well-stocked drug store. Any druggist can order from wholesaler.

"Despondent" writes: "I am 42 years old and until two years ago I was very strong and vigorous. Gradually I began to fail, and now I am trembling, nervous, weak, timid, despondent, and life has lost its brightness and pleasures for me. I think I need medicine for my nerves."

Answer: At your age many are afflicted as you are, and the very best treatment for such conditions is 5-grain cadomene tablets, packed in sealed tubes, with full directions. It is a tonic restorative treatment of very great effectiveness in overcoming the depleted, worn-out nervous system.

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Mr. B. D. asks: "Is it safe to reduce one's weight? I weigh 240 pounds and would like to reduce at least 40 pounds. What is a safe, harmless remedy?"

Answer: Obtain of any well-stocked druggist a tube of 5-grain arbolone tablets and take as per directions accompanying. These tablets are very easy to take and quite reliable for obesity or goitre.

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"Miss K." writes: "Could you publish a remedy for liver and kidney trouble and the usual diseases that arise from that source? I am troubled with dizzy spells, dark spots before my eyes, and also with rheumatism."

Answer: If you will get 5-grain sulpherb tablets (not sulphur tablets), and take according to directions, you will not only be relieved, but if you continue the use of these tablets you will be gradually relieved of all the troubles you mention. They will purify the blood and also overcome your rheumatism.

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"Worried"—Your child can be easily corrected by using tincture cubebs, 1 dram; tincture rhus-aromatic, 2 drams, and comp. fluid balmwort, 1 oz. Give him 10 to 15 drops in water before each meal. This is equally good for cider people.

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"Mrs. L. C." writes: "Our family of five all are afflicted with catarrh. A friend told me that your prescription cured her and her child. Please tell me what to use."

Answer: I have found in my long experience that there is nothing superior to antiseptic vilane powder when used according to directions which are to be found in each 2 or 8-ounce box. Try it and you will be delighted.

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"Hannah" writes: "I would like to get something that would make my hair soft and fluffy. My hair is greasy and I can do nothing to keep the oil out of it."

Answer: To take the surplus oil out of the hair and keep it soft and fluffy, use a 4-oz. jar of plain yellow mineral oil; use it regularly. This will stop itching scalp and dandruff and make the hair grow, and you will not be bothered with stringy, straggling locks.

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"Louise" writes: "I do not weigh enough for my height. I am dull and lifeless and have frequent headaches. Please advise what will help me."

Answer: Your condition is due to the lack of red blood corpuscles. I can prescribe nothing better than 5-grain hypnuciane tablets, which can be purchased at any up-to-date drug store in sealed cartoons with full directions. These tablets will cause the body to assimilate the fatty elements of food and thus give you strength and added color to the skin. Your weight will increase and you will not be troubled with headache. They are recommended by physicians and if taken according to directions you will surely gain flesh.

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"Troubled Miss G." writes: "Every winter I am troubled with severe attacks of rheumatism which sometimes leave me in bed for weeks. Please advise something for me."

Answer: My favorite prescription for rheumatism, and one that I know has relieved thousands of people, is made by mixing: Iodide of potassium, 1 dram; sodium salicylate, 4 drams; wine of colchicum, ½ oz.; comp. essence cardiol, 2 oz.; comp. fluid balmwort, 1 oz.; comp. sarsaparilla, 5 ozs. Take one teaspoonful at meal time and at bed time and you will soon be well.

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"Annette" writes: "I have been greatly annoyed lately by coughing and a tickling sensation in the throat and hoarseness after singing. My bronchial tubes are affected also."

Answer: You can be very easily relieved of this bronchial trouble by using essence mentho-laxene. This remedy quickly and certainly brings about a cure by its tonic and laxative action and therefore is superior to ordinary preparations which only relieve. You can feel the medicine working on the throat, lungs and bronchial tubes, giving a feeling of freshness and strength to the entire system. Purchase a 2½-oz. package of essence mentho-laxene and make according to the directions on bottle and take eight drops doses daily and you will soon be cured of your trouble.

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Mrs. B. T. writes: "I suffer dreadfully with indigestion, heavy feeling in stomach, bloating, belching, etc."

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Secrets of Health and Beauty

by Claire Ainsworth



NOTE—If the reader does not find the information wanted in the questions answered below, just address a letter to Miss Claire Ainsworth, 40 Patterson Bldg., Dayton, Ohio, enclosing self-addressed stamped envelope, and she will gladly advise on health and beauty problems.

Miss Ainsworth is noted for her marvelous beauty, as well as famous as a talented concert singer, and artists the world over rave at her beauty and have sought her for their masterpieces. She frankly admits that hers is a cultivated, but natural, beauty, and no "make-up" is ever used. The articles and preparations mentioned are on sale by all wholesale druggists, large retail and department stores, or any accommodating dealer can obtain them for you.

WRINKLE HINTS.

While a smooth, pretty skin is the exception after 30, nine women out of 10 could own an unwrinkled skin if they would take care of it. It would not do to say that wrinkles will never come, but I do assert that they need not put in appearance before the sixtieth year and even then they can be kept well nigh invisible if they be coaxed, smoothed and kneaded with the finger tips, and a nourishing emollient cream be used.

Uncontrolled facial muscles are responsible for many a wrinkled face. Unnecessary frowning, scowling, worrying and even laughing are responsible too. The bad habit of making faces when you write, sew or talk must be broken to prevent wrinkles. Really, though, how few of us can control our facial muscles and lacking in this the best thing and surest is regular daily massage and face patting with the emollient cream which I and thousands use so successfully.

MEMORIZE THESE RULES.

Never massage for more than 15 minutes at any one time. Do not forget that a heavy massage reduces fat and a light massage, or patting movement encourages the formation of flesh. Don't allow the skin to become dry as this spells wrinkles. Use plenty of massage cream, as the skin pores need to be fed lavishly. Avoid irritating soaps containing alkali. Protect the skin with a disappearing cream before going out into the weather.

Madame X. asks: "Will you please give me some advice? I am 40, and little wrinkles are appearing on my forehead, about my eyes and at the corners of my mouth and my skin seems to be getting dry and

Answer: "Read my little 'preachment on wrinkles' above and then obtain a jar of glorioi emollient. Massage the wrinkles very thoroughly twice daily and use plenty of this emollient cold cream. Continue the use of the cream and supply the nourishment needed indefinitely."

Billie B. asks: "I am terribly disfigured by pimples, blackheads and sallow, greasy skin. My blood is bad, too. What is best to use to regain a pretty complexion?"

Answer: "Locally, for complexion, use the scientific treatment consisting of glorioi glowene (instead of soap), glorioi emollient, cold cream and glorioi balm vanishing cream, as per directions which accompany each.

"Also begin taking one grain quinoxide tablets which act on the blood and clear the face of pimples, etc. You should continue being devoted to the care of your skin if you wish to retain a pretty complexion and it may take several months to restore a healthy skin."

Alma T. asks: "I would like a treatment for the hair and scalp to beautify and increase the growth and lustre. My hair is dead looking and combs out too much. Can you give a reliable formula?"

Answer: "I have frequently answered your question, but will repeat it. Obtain one-half ounce concentrated hairwand powder, and dissolve it in a pint of water. Then apply to the hair and scalp twice daily, massaging the scalp with the finger tips.

"To stain or darken the hair, use the same powder of hairwand, but dissolve it in a pint of coffee which has been filtered or strained. The coffee can be made weak or strong as the color may be desired."

Mrs. K. K. asks: "Suppose one is too fleshy and desires to reduce about 20 or 30 pounds, what medicine is best and safest to use, and how quickly effective?"

Answer: "Obtain of well-stocked druggist one or more tubes of five-grain phytay-rin tablets and take as per directions. On a circular in the tube is a diet which is also helpful. Three or four months should show a satisfactory reduction of this treatment. This will enable you to endure the summer heat."

Miss P. R. asks: "How can one remove unsightly freckles?"

Answer: "There are few reliable freckle removers and amongst them is a proprietary preparation called Madame Leslie's Freckle Balm. Most any druggist should have it or can get it of the wholesale firms. Follow the directions very carefully to insure results."

Mrs. Alice R. asks: "How about superfluous hair on face and arms? Is there any safe preparation to rid one of such blemishes?"

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Lady Clerk asks: "How can I prevent chapping, windburn, etc., of face and hands?"

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Mildred asks: "Can you advise a good face soap?"

Answer: "I think toilet soaps as a rule are all injurious to a beautiful or tender skin. I use and recommend a delightful cleansing 'water massage' by name, glorioi glowene. Try it and you will like it."

Mrs. T. V. W. asks: "Please tell me what to do to increase the size of my bust and to fill hollow in neck and shoulders?"

Answer: "Obtain medicated venosol and massage the parts regularly twice daily, using the rotary movement and the patting or slapping movement afterwards. There is nothing better that I know of. Let me hear from you after giving this a thorough trial."

Miss Bertie B. asks: "Is there anything which will keep the hair wavy and in curl for days at a time?"

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Miss R. B. asks: "When I shampoo my hair it looks well but the next day is dry, oily and stringy. What is a good dry shampoo and will this overcome the oily appearance?"

Answer: "A good dry shampoo restores the hair to natural lustre and removes the excess oil. Try this splendid formula. Two ounces of antiseptic vilane powder mixed with 4 ounces of powdered orris root. Use one or two tablespoonfuls. Sprinkle through the hair at night and in the morning comb and brush all of it out."

Harriet C. asks: "I am so terribly thin and bloodless. Can you advise something to put flesh on?"

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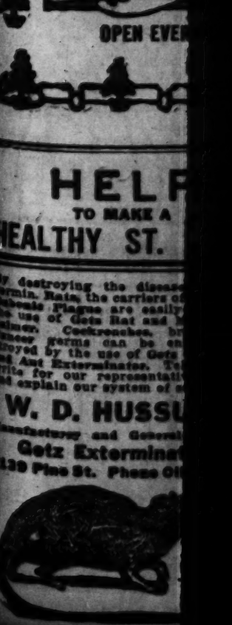


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IGOE INTRODUCES BILL TO REGULATE KEOKUK DAM

Measure Would Give Commerce Commission Power to Control It.

HE STUDIED SITUATION

St. Louis Congressman Takes Up Question After Reading Post-Dispatch Expose.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—A bill giving the Interstate Commerce Commission control over the Keokuk dam and similar corporations was introduced in the House today by Congressman Igoe of St. Louis. The bill is the direct result of the exposure by the Post-Dispatch of the agreements entered into between the owners of the big dam at Keokuk, Io., and the Union Electric Light and Power Co. and United Railways of St. Louis, which showed that, contrary to expectations, the price of light would not be reduced for 99 years, unless the Government or State stepped in to regulate rates.

Feeling that the Government's grant of the right to harness the river was for the sole purpose of aiding the public through cheaper light, heat and power, Congressman Igoe, on his return to Washington from St. Louis, about two weeks ago, started to prepare a bill for Government regulation.

It was his original intention to try to have passed an act that would take in all the water power sites in the country and provide for a commission to regulate and control them.

Igoe Has Studied Question.

"Since the recent publication by the Post-Dispatch of its articles on the Keokuk dam, in which it was shown that the grant by the Government of permission to construct a dam at Keokuk for the generation of electric current would not result in any benefit to the public so long as the present methods of the controlling corporation obtain, I have given considerable study and attention to the entire question of water power," said Congressman Igoe to the Post-Dispatch correspondent. "I believe that the facts presented by the Post-Dispatch are such as to show clearly that an immediate remedy must be found.

"There has been so much controversy, however, among conservationists as to the best method to pursue in protecting and controlling the water power sites of the country, that a comprehensive bill including all water power sites whether on navigable streams or on the public domains, would be the subject of prolonged and bitter struggle, involving, among other questions, the right of the respective states to control and regulate within their respective boundaries. Therefore I have deemed it best to introduce immediately a bill amending the interstate commerce act so that corporations engaged in interstate business of generating, furnishing and transmitting electricity for light, heat and power should be brought within the jurisdiction of the Interstate Commerce Commission. The amendment will provide that all charges shall be reasonable and schedules shall be filed whenever and wherever directed by the commission.

Waterway Commission's Views.

"Last year the National Waterway Commission, of which Senator Burton was chairman, after an exhaustive investigation of questions relating to waterway, filed a lengthy report. Among other subjects discussed was the desirability of legislation for the development and control of water power both in navigable streams and on the public domain. In concluding its report the commission says:

It is the opinion of the commission that the hydroelectric business, both because of its intimate relation to the use of streams for purposes of navigation and because it will inevitably, in many instances, become interstate in the scope of its operations, must eventually become subject of complete Federal control. While we believe that the business has not yet reached a stage of development such as to make that policy immediately desirable, it is rapidly approaching that stage. The commission would recommend that for the present all questions arising between the operating company and the consumers of its product or service be left to the control of the several states within which such companies may be doing business, except in cases where the authority and power of neither municipalities or the State are adequate to protect the public interest; but with the fullest understanding that within the comparatively near future this feature of its regulation must also inevitably pass to the Federal Government.

"This report was signed by some of the ablest men in Congress, and in view of the disclosures on the Keokuk dam proposition, it seems to me that the time has come for Federal regulation and control of such enterprises."

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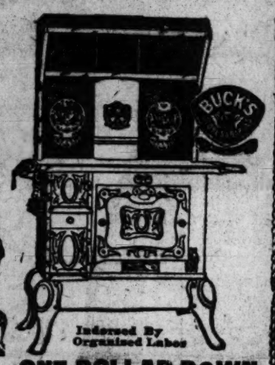
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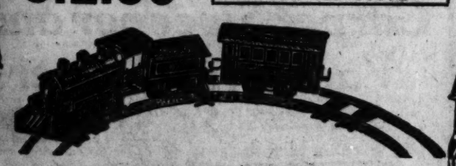
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The body of a man thought to be that of Otto Adam was found Saturday morning near Marshall avenue, and within seven feet of the Missouri Pacific tracks in Tuxedo, St. Louis County. Coroner Louis H. Bopp was notified by the crew of a westbound Missouri Pacific train who first discovered the body and he had it taken to his undertaking rooms where an inquest will be held Monday morning.

The man is supposed to have been killed by a train and had both legs broken, skull fractured and internal injuries. In his pockets were found a registration slip from the employment agency of L. Becker, 404 South Second street, and bearing the name Otto Adam, a 2½-cent trade check on Krecklels, 217 South Third street, and a box of snuff. Nothing is known about his relatives or home. He was 5 feet 7 inches tall, weighed about 150 pounds, had red hair and a sandy mustache.

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BY MRS. MAE MARTYN

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A. L.: The delatone treatment for hairy growths is quite harmless and rarely is more than one application required. Mix a little powdered delatone with water and apply to the objectionable hairs, then after two or three minutes rub it off, and the hairs come with it. Washing the skin leaves it firm and free from blemish.

Darling: Yes, it is true that fat always destroys the beautiful lines of the figure, but if you do as I have before advised in these columns, you can get rid of the fat and your form will be plump and beautifully proportioned. In one and one-half pints hot water dissolve four ounces parnotis. Let this cool, then take one tablespoonful before each meal. This treatment produces no present or future ill effects and gradually dissolves the unnecessary fatty tissues. Try this parnotis treatment and you will never have any reason to feel embarrassed because of your shape.

Pearl: You girls were right when you decided that face powder clogs the pores, even though much is blown off the skin and leaves a spotted effect. You can avoid this annoyance and enjoy a softer, healthier, finer complexion if you apply a spurmax lotion. This is quite inexpensive and is prepared by dissolving four ounces spurmax in one-half pint witch hazel or hot water, to which is added two teaspoonfuls glycerine. The spurmax lotion is invisible when on and requires no further attention. You will find it especially nice to banish summer's freckles and tan and the sallow, unhealthy cast of powder-smothered skin and to give a delightful freshness and youth-tint to your skin.

Johanna: Yes, you have a good reason to feel alarmed about your hair. But you can remove the dandruff and overcome that dryness without paying a large sum to a hair specialist. Just make up and use the quinzoin hair tonic I frequently advise and it will put the scalp in a healthy condition and your hair will grow in thick and beautiful. Here is the recipe: Into one-half pint alcohol pour one ounce quinzoin, then add one-half pint water. This gives you a full pint of the finest hair tonic, and I know its use will insure a clean, healthy scalp and a wealth of brilliant, fluffy hair.

Lucy: You want to brighten and strengthen your eyes and can easily do so by using this plain eyewater ere tonic in which I have great faith because of the good it has done in so many instances, and I am sure if you put two or three drops of it in your sore, aching eye at frequent intervals for a time, the inflammation will disappear. To prepare this inexpensive tonic, dissolve one ounce eyetos in a pint of clear water. To dull, lifeless eyes it will lend a youthful sparkle and fascinating expression.

Olive: Yes, I know a sure cure for wrinkles which can be cheaply made at home. Mix one ounce almeenin with one-half pint cold water and two teaspoonfuls of glycerine. Stir and let stand for one day. To remove or prevent wrinkles, apply this vegetable cream-jelly every night and massage thoroughly. At night leave the face covered with the cream. You will find nothing to equal almeenin jelly-cream to remove wrinkles and keep them away, and it contains no oil or fat which might promote hair growth. You will also find it fine to use not only your wrinkles disappearing, but the large pores of the entire face getting much smaller and the skin very soft and velvety.

Dora: For your pimples and freckles I am giving you a formula that will surely bleed Clearaner I know. It is the best because it acts on the liver and kidneys and if, as you say, you are troubled with headaches and constant headaches it is an indication that your kidneys and blood need attention. To remove pimples, one ounce saxo-done into one-half pint alcohol (whisky should not be used), then add one-half ounce sugar and water to make a full quart. A tablespoonful before meals is the dose. This kardene tonic acts upon the poisonous waste from the body and tones up the internal organs so they can do their work well.

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GRANDJURY ASKS LAW TO RESTRICT SALE OF PISTOLS

Final Report Cites Many Homicides and Small Number of Convictions.

"DISPENSARY INSANITARY"

Investigators Do Not Visit Jail Because of Prevalence of Diphtheria.

The enactment of new laws rigidly restricting the sale of revolvers and requiring all present or future owners of such weapons to register their names with the police, is advocated by the October grand jury in its final report, returned yesterday.

In the last year, the report says, there has been a deplorably large number of homicides and "the usual small number of convictions." Prevention is more potent than punishment in checking crime, the grand jurors believe, and this can be done best by more stringent enforcement of the laws against carrying concealed weapons.

The rapid completion of a fireproof infectious hospital and greater care in safeguarding prisoners at the city hospital are recommended. The Central Dispensary in the old city hall building is unsafe and insanitary, the report says, but a new dispensary soon is to be built in the municipal group at Fourteenth and Market streets.

New House of Detention Asked.

The building of a new fireproof Juvenile Court House of Detention is urged. The report says the grand jurors did not visit the city jail because of the prevalence of diphtheria there. It is recommended that at the workhouse a merit system of awards be substituted for the punishment system and that the daily pay allotment of the prisoners be increased and a portion of it given to their families.

The jury also recommends that the management of all city institutions be divorced from political and partisan considerations and conducted on a practical and intelligent merit basis.

Nine indictments accompanied the final report. With those previously reported this makes a total of 42 indictments by this jury.

Some of Those Indicted.

Four of the indictments returned yesterday were not made public because the indicted persons are still at large. The indictments announced were:

David Delle, alias Block, burglary and larceny. He is charged with having stolen $3380 worth of jewelry from the home of Mrs. Margaret Silverthorne in April, 1912. He was captured in Europe and brought back to St. Louis.

Harry Clayton, grand larceny and habitual criminal. He is charged with stealing an overcoat from the Famous store, Nov. 1.

William C. Dines, embezzlement, perjury and obtaining money under false pretenses. He was a witness before the grand jury when it was investigating alleged thefts of notes from a Tennessee firm by Jesse A. Tuthill, whose indictment was returned in a partial report.

Joseph Messler, Arthur Stutz and "Jew" Baker, assault to kill. They are charged with taking part in a gang rush in which one man was killed and another wounded at Frank Fewing's restaurant, 410 South Second street, about two weeks ago.

Eddie Eddington, negro, murder. He killed Mabel McCoy, a negress, Nov. 11.

No Bribery Indictment.

The grand jury returned no indictment in connection with the attempted bribery of Delegate John Klug of the Tenth Ward while the 10-cent tax raise ordinance was pending last spring. The Circuit Attorney's office made two ineffectual attempts to induce the jury to indict a downtown saloon keeper in this connection. The September grand jury indicted Leonard A. Holdenried of 3008 South Jefferson avenue on a charge of offering a $500 bribe to Klug.

Holdenried twice went before the October grand jury as a witness and it was rumored that this foreshadowed the indictment of the saloon keeper and former Republican politician in whose place the bribe was alleged to have been proffered.

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Architects Name Delegates.

Delegates have been chosen to represent St. Louis Chapter, American Institute of Architects, at the forty-seventh annual national convention of the organization to be held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in New Orleans. The delegates and alternates are: Delegates—G. F. A. Bruergemann, William B. Ittner, W. H. Gruen and Theodore C. Link. Alternates—E. C. Klipstein, E. J. Russell, W. S. Eames, Thomas C. Young and Louis Le Beaume.

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Senate Ignores Pindell Appointment.

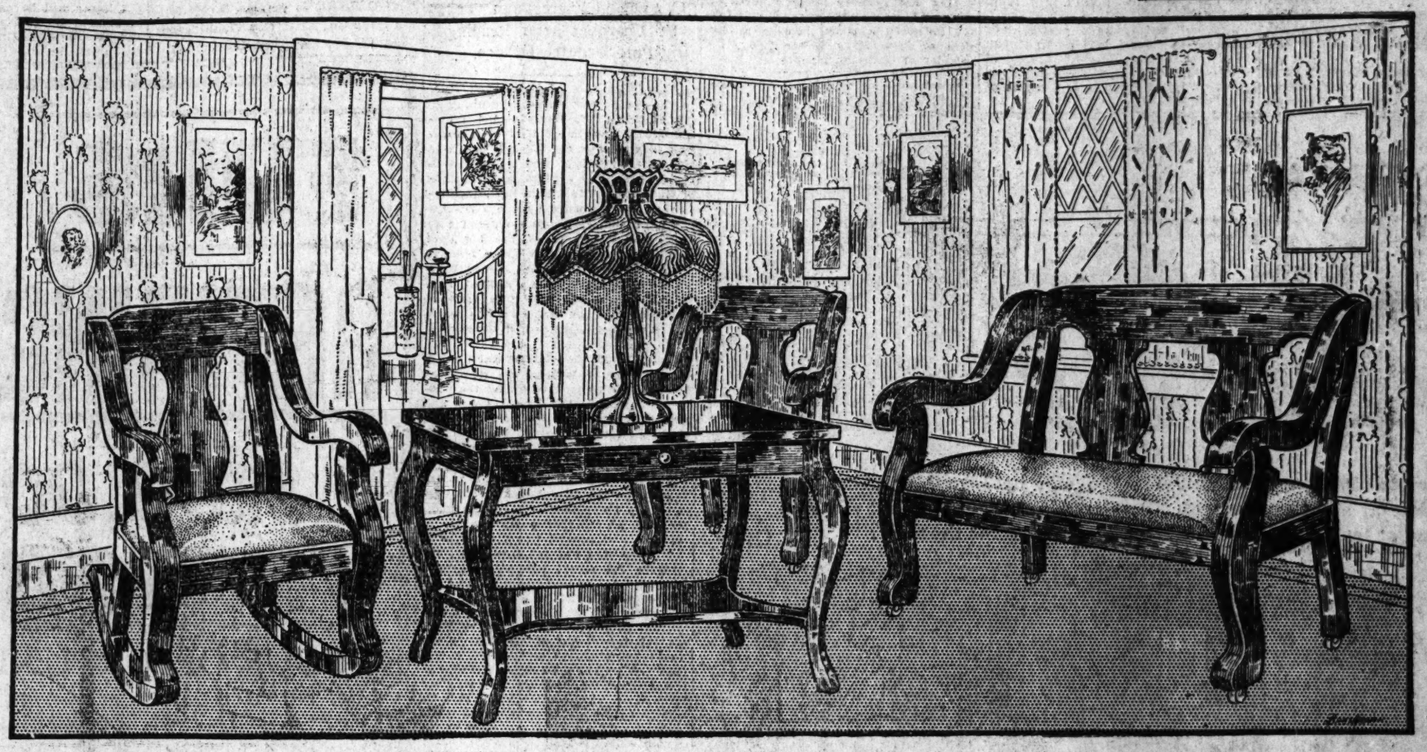
WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The appointment of Henry M. Pindell, the Peoria publisher, as Ambassador to Russia was not acted on by the Senate today and will not be, the leaders say, before the adjournment of Congress Monday. His reappointment by President Wilson will be necessary after the new Congress convenes.

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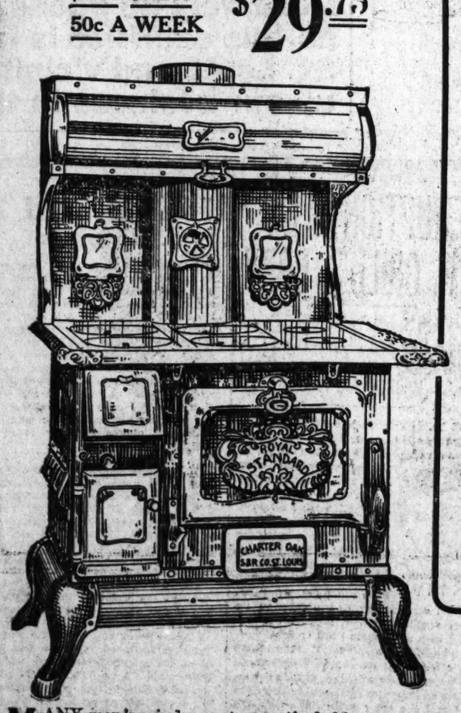
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General News and Department Stores

Everybody's Business

A Sincere and Single-Handed Effort to Discover Why We Cannot Build the Free Bridge—There Has Been a Time When Anyone With the Authority to Do So Has Been in a Position to Build That Bridge, and it Has Therefore Suffered the Consequence of Being Nobody's Business—How Cheops, Roosevelt and Some Others Who Haven't Been Mayor of St. Louis Did This Sort of Thing—Cranks, Their Distribution and How to Keep Them in Subjugation.

BY CLARK M'ADAMS.

ISAAK WALTON attributed to one of his friends the saying that everybody's business is nobody's business. Whoever that friend was, no more imposing monument to him has ever been built than our own free bridge. If the free bridge had ever been anything else than everybody's business it would have been built long ago, and we would be working now at something else. There has never been a time when anyone with the authority to do so has been in a position to build that bridge, and it has therefore suffered the consequence of being nobody's business. Mr. McKinley has built a bridge here and put it in commission in a small part of the time we have consumed in getting our bridge to the point where it is one of the unhappiest messes that any community ever had on its hands. Mr. McKinley could do this because the bridge he was building was his business, and he could get it done. If the men who worked for him got into a snarl about it, he could fire them by wire and get somebody else. That is all there is to it.

Any community, large or small, is largely made up of cranks. Our own city is not peculiar in that respect. It is only unfortunate in mismanaging its affairs in such a way that all the cranks we have with us have been able to come to bat. The way they have poled our bridge bond issues into all points of the compass and slammered one another's bridge approach suggestions this way and that illustrates the necessity of keeping them on the bench. Ordinarily we try to have them on the bench. They would make the same sad mess of everything else the city is doing if they could get to the plate. We should have to ask Chicago or some other city which has its cranks subjugated to manage our affairs for us, and would be known through the country as a community incapable of governing itself.

It is readily discoverable when we have a strong or a weak man in the White House. We have a strong man there now. He is boss. What we have to do, and we have a great deal to do, is not everybody's business, but is his business. He knows that, and he goes right ahead with it day after day, as if everybody else in Washington were working for him and he could fire the whole outfit on next Saturday night. Nine men in ten whom one meets on the street will say that this is the case, and it is. We have never had a finer example of what one man can do by making everybody's business his business, and to think that he cannot succeed himself because the Democratic platform pledges him to a single term is about as unhappy a reflection as one can indulge.

ONE of the first things discoverd by human society was that somebody had to be boss. Mr. Morgan, who devoted a lifetime to study of this subject, says this discovery was universal, even in savagery. The cannibals were unable effectively to practice cannibalism until they had a cannibal king. Every primitive tribe had its chief. This was not because someone wanted to stick a feather in his hat and call himself macaroni, but because it was necessary to have someone be boss. Columbus, discovering America, did not poll his crew to see if he would turn back or keep on. He kept on. Why we should have forgotten this in St. Louis when we set an important project like building the free bridge on our hands is past making out. We were asleep. We were shutting our eyes to a truth that is older than history itself. That we have landed where we have landed we have only ourselves to blame, and if we ever get out, it is a very safe bet that we won't do it again.

When I was in Panama I heard many complaints that Mr. Taft was not a good boss. In the opinion of the men who made the canal, Mr. Roosevelt was the right kind of boss. Mr. Roosevelt did not care whether he had the power to do things or not. He did them anyway. One of those men said to me: "We would not be here at all had it not been for Mr. Roosevelt's qualifications as a boss. We would still be dickering with the United States of Colombia for this strip. Mr. Roosevelt saw that we were not going to get it unless he took it, and he took it. That is what I call a boss. Mr. Taft would never have done that. He is a weak boss, and he has shown it in a thousand ways since he went into the White House. Anybody on this job will tell you that." And everybody did.

THE free bridge became everybody's business when we went back to the people for a supplementary bond issue and permitted every Tom, Dick and Harry to suggest an approach for the east end of the bridge. Those two things, which it was not within the power of any man who was boss to settle for us, have arisen to plague us. The extent to which every man in the community is a crank instantly developed, and we found ourselves in a sea of troubles which speedily engulfed us. It became more important that our individual ideas should prevail than that we should finish the bridge. Mr. Gerhardt, for instance, had an approach of his own, and he will stand on it at midnight and tell us about it as long and as often as anybody will listen. Mr. Reber had his approach. Tom had his approach. Dick had his approach. Harry had his approach. Commend us to that controversial firm, Tom, Dick & Harry, not to get anything done.

Who can doubt when Cheops built
That great pyramid of stone
That he damned like Vanderbilt
All ideas but his own?
Then he called his men around,
Saying "'Twill be thus and so,"
Even as it had been found
Necessary long ago?

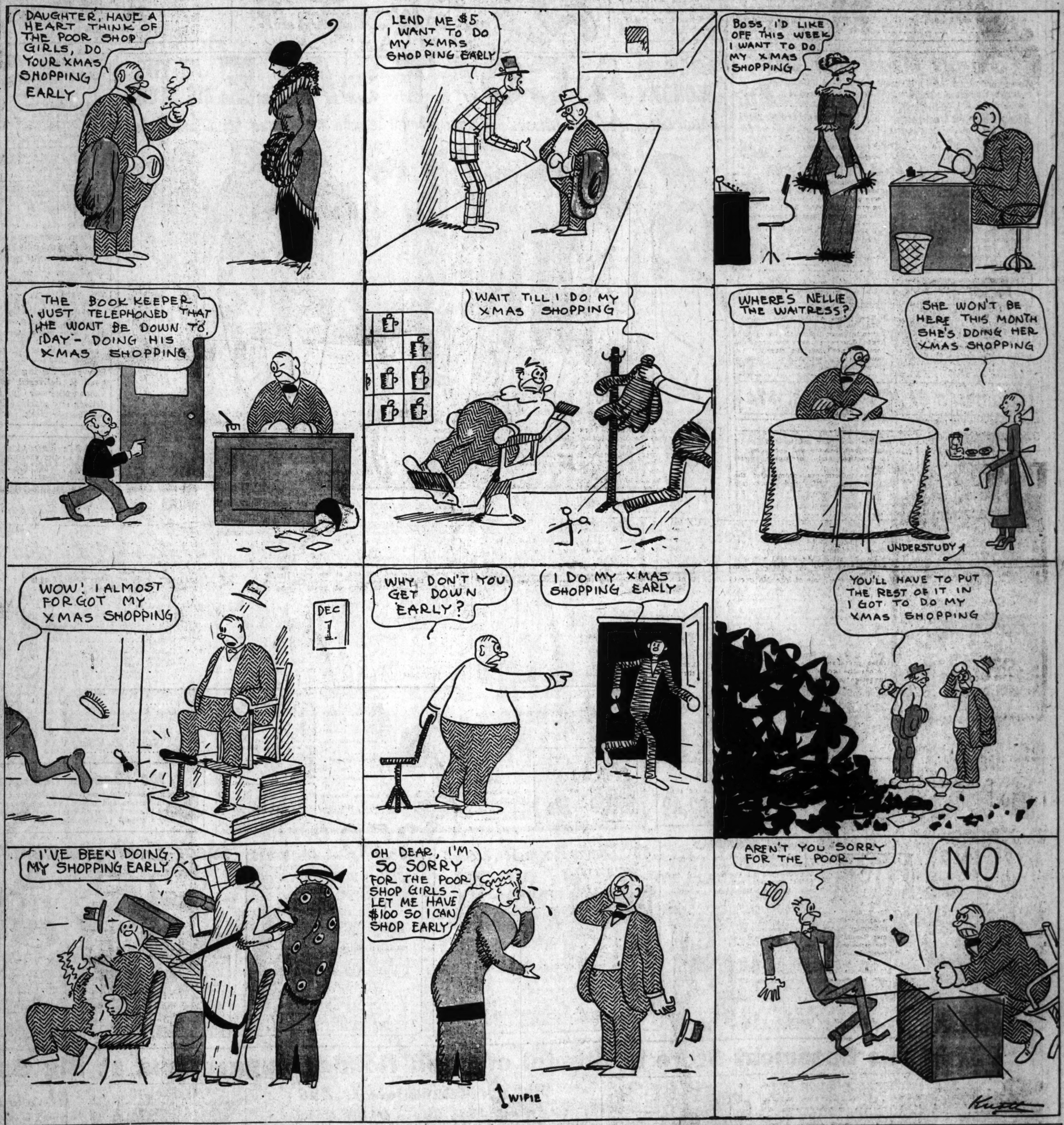
Who can doubt when Caesar swept
All the continent with fire,
That a lot of captains wept,
Having not their own desire?
Say, when he divided Gaul,
Were there not some broken hearts,
Having naught to say at all
In the matter of the parts?

Great men ever have displayed
Greatness simply being boss;
Men have ever them obeyed,
Trusting them to get across.
Thus the Rubicon was passed,
Thus the Alps were put behind;
Thus must all things first and last
Be accomplished, we shall find.

God in wisdom chose a man
To be captain of the ark;
Think how everybody's plan
Would have fed him to the shark!
All the world delights to serve
Someone strong enough to lead;
And this, we venture to observe,
Is just exactly what we need.

Early Christmas Shopping

DRAWN BY JEAN KNOTT FOR THE SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH



Fate Unkind to Author of Reply to Ingalls' "Opportunity"

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.

JUDGE WALTER MALONE of Memphis has composed an American epic poem entitled "De Soto," for the publication rights of which publishers are invited to bid, but don't all speak at once. The Judge says it's SOME EPIC, and he's a Judge, really and truly.

He brought his epic to town with him the other day and allowed some of his friends to have a look at it. He told them it contained 17,600 lines and if they doubted it they might count the lines, but they preferred to take his word for it. They were also willing to accept his assurances that it was a great epic; in fact, a very great epic. He left it here when he went back South, so that the publishers would not have to pursue him all the way to Memphis. The rush of publishers has not set in yet, but it is expected that Washington will be all cluttered up with them in a few days, for they know the American public is just panting for an American epic. Besides, Judge Malone is the author of a little bit of verse that was designed to take all the punch out of the late John J. Ingalls' poetic vision of opportunity. Ingalls portrayed opportunity as applying at every man's door once and, if unbidden to enter immediately, going away forever. Judge Malone viewed the situation much more optimistically. He wrote:

"They do me wrong who say I come no more
When once I knock and fail to find you in;
For every morn I stand outside your door
And bid you wake, and rise to fight and win."

But Judge Malone allows that when he penned these lines he didn't take into account the rarity of opportunity to get an epic poem published.

A Great Sale of Children's Hats $1

Children's Plush and Bearskin Hats, values from $2 to $3, in all colors.....

Sale of 125 Fine Pattern Hats

One hundred and twenty-five Pattern Hats during this sale will be sold regardless of former prices;
$15, $17.50 and $20 Hats at.... $6.00
$10.00 and $12.00 Hats will go at..... $4.93
$8.00 Hats must be sold at..... $3.93

Feathers of All Kinds LESS THAN HALF

We will show, exclusively for this sale, the most remarkable collection of Ostrich Novelties, Band, Aigrettes and fancy Stick-Ups, some of the newest importations of such things; many European samples that are worth as much as $4.00. Your choice at... 83c

We Give and Redeem Star Trading Stamps

Shaper Bros.

Entire Block On Washington Av.

50c Coney Fur Trimming

Very fine, soft quality, bright, lustrous finish; black, brown and white; special..... 29c

$1.25 Coney Fur, 2-inch; brown, black, white.. 89c
50c White Swansdown; fine quality..... 29c
59c White, Black and Mink Heads..... 35c
$1.25 Ostrich Bands; black, white, natural and red fox..... 89c

Main Floor—Aisle 2.

$3.50 Eyeglasses.



Eyes Tested Free Main Floor, Aisle 3. $1.00

Do your eyes bother you? See our optician (Leonard W. Reed). He will test your eyes and fit eyeglasses with gold filled frames; guaranteed 15 years; a regular $3.50 value..... $1.00

Free A gold filled chain with every pair on Monday. Free

Sample Underwear Sale

An important saving in Women's, Men's and Children's Underwear Monday. Women's 50c fleeced Union Suits (Main Floor)..... 25c

Women's $1.00 Underwear
In gray and cream wool; a special lots of samples at less than ½ price; a big lot to clean up; per garment. 35c

Children's 50c Union Suits
In heavy two-layer fleeced weight; Jaeger fleece and vellastic rib; per garment..... 35c

Women's 25c Fleeced Vests and Pants
A big lot of pure white fleeced Vests and Pants; specially priced, per garment (Main Floor)..... 9c

75c Shirts
Men's 75c Coat Shirts in neat stripes and figures; laundered collar and cuffs attached; specially priced in this sale at..... 29c

50c Underwear
A collection of samples of Men's Shirts and Drawers to be used as a special in this great sale at (Main Floor)..... 19c

Women's Silk Hose, 10c

25c Fleeced Hose
Women's 25c Fleece-lined Hose, with extra splicing at heels and toes, 2 pair 35c, a pair..... 12½c

10c Cotton Hose
Women's 10c Cotton Hose, double soles, high spliced heels; a good wearing quality assured, special..... 9c

15c Infants' Hose
15c infants' Cashmere Hose, with double silk heels and toes; special, Monday only..... 7c

15c Children's Hose
15c children's black cotton Hose, double heels and toes, Monday only..... 5c

Women's $1 Kid Gloves, 47c

$2.00 Long Kid Gloves
Women's and Misses' long kid Gloves, in black, white and tan; assorted sizes..... 89c

$1.10 Cape Kid Gloves
Men's and Women's cape kid Gloves; assorted sizes and colors..... 55c

8:30 A.M. MONDAY **A COAT SALE** AT THE BIG STORE

5000 Women's and Misses' Fancy Winter Coats at ½ and ⅓ Their Value



3000 Coats in this lot in 50 new styles; ¾-length cutaways and full-length straight fronts for those that desire them; large silk frogs and fancy buttons; fancy belted backs; draped and gathered backs; kimono sleeves; drop shoulders; fur and plush trimmings; long shawl collars; large turnback cuffs; some lined with an excellent quality satin; these come in materials of astrakhan, thibet, chinchilla, lamb's wool, two-faced materials, soft woolens, warm wales and fancy novelty mixtures; not one worth under $12.50, and many up to $15.00; you will easily be pleased out of this lot; your choice..... **$5**

3000 in this lot in 50 different styles; all sizes from 14 to 48; in materials of silk plush, Persiana, Ural lamb, brocaded plush, matelasse, broadcloth, boucle, silky zibeline, broadcloth tapestry, fancy wool mixtures, etc.; in colors of black, navy, tan, gray, Copenhagen, purple, wistaria, mahogany, green, and all the popular shades; ¾ and full length; graceful cutaways; artistic drapes and gathered backs; kimono sleeves; drop shoulders and other pleasing features; fur-trimmed collars and cuffs; belted backs; fancy buttons and large silk frogs; these are regular $30.00 to $30.00 values; your choice in this sale at..... **$10**

$2 Children's Play Coats
In bearskin, astrakhan and mixed suiting; some with quilted linings; sizes 2 to 6 years; Monday special.... 99c

75c Children's Bonnets
Of corduroy velvet, trimmed with handmade flowers and shirred ribbon at the face..... 38c
Second Floor.

5c J. P. Coats' silk finish Silkaline in all good desirable shades; very special..... 2½c

60c Muslin Gowns
Women's well-made Muslin Gowns; V-shaped neck; yoke trimmed with embroidery and tucks..... 29c

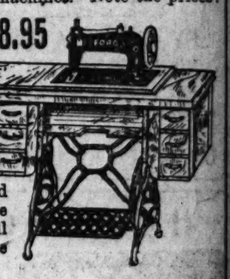
25c Drawers
Women's Muslin Drawers; deep flounce of pin tucks, finished with wide hem; all sizes..... 12c

$1.25 Battenberg Scarf; size 18x72 inches; fancy shape linen center and handsewed Battenberg border..... 65c
Second Floor.

Holiday Sale of Sewing Machines

We offer for tomorrow's selling Sewing Machines in all the standard makes and at prices to suit every buyer. There is no more appropriate Xmas gift you could offer the busy housewife than one of these high-grade machines. Note the prices:

The Home Queen, a new drophead machine..... $8.95
The Mabell; oak case full set of attachments... $14.90
Singer No. 66.. $16.90
The Ford, a new six-drawer machine, in a beautiful golden oak case; all attachments, $24.75
Second Floor.



Buy your Sewing Machine now and have it delivered the day before Xmas under our Club Plan. We will deliver any machine into your home for 75c per week.

50c Bungalow Aprons
Of best quality chambray, bound at neck with white tape; cut full; comes in blue and tan; Monday only (Second Floor)..... 25c

$4 Blanket Bath Robes
Of genuine Beacon blankets; come in assorted colors; designs are floral and conventional; 36 to 44; special (Second Floor)..... $1.98

XMAS SPECIALS

Handkerchiefs
These Handkerchiefs come in colored border and plain white; never before sold for less than 2½c; Basement special. 1c

Kitchen Table
Made of selected white hard wood; very strongly constructed; natural finish; one deep drawer; turned legs; a large, roomy table for kitchen use; at 98c

$15.00 Brussels Rugs
As a special for Monday we will offer for this sale an assortment of high-grade Brussels Rugs; a chance to fit a room, or a hall, at a very low cost; sizes 9x12; Monday only (Fourth Fl.). $9.98

$2.00 Dolls
Large Jointed Doll, 32-in. size; very fine make, moving eyes, sewed wig; Xmas special (Fifth Floor). 79c

50c Comforts
Large size extra good filling. Stitched Comfort; don't miss this Xmas special (Fourth Floor). 19c

$35.00 Extra Size Rugs, $16.95

For our extra special Monday we will offer a wide selection of extra size Axminster Rugs; these are the well-known Hartford and Smith makes, and the selection is unusually large; comes in two-toned greens, genuine Oriental and all-over designs; any one of them would be considered a bargain at $30; some slightly mismatched, which does not affect their wearing quality in the least; very extra special for Monday, 11.3x12 and 10.6x12..... $16.95
Fourth Floor.

$25 Brussels Rugs
Made of extra heavy and closely woven Brussels; for those whose rooms take an extra size rug, this is a rare opportunity to secure one of these handsome Rugs at a very low cost; comes in many rich designs, as floral, scroll and Oriental; size 10.6x13.8 and 11.3x12; Monday only (Fourth Floor)..... $12.95

$12.50 Reversable Axminster Rugs
Best quality reversible Axminster; comes in all the latest colors and designs; a chance for the wideawake housekeeper to get a rug for a room at a very low cost; Monday, while they last at, only (Fourth Floor)..... $6.98



Fourth Floor.

$3.50 Axminster Rugs
Size 9x12 in.; comes in many pleasing colors and designs; very extra special for Monday at (Fourth Floor)..... $2.98

$5.00 Lace Bed Sets

These Beds Sets are full size; come in white or ecru; with 18-in flounce and roll cover to match; regular $5.00 retail price Monday (Fourth Floor)..... $2.49

Useful Xmas Gifts at 40% Saving



Leaded Domes
For Monday's special we offer Leaded Domes, large 8-inch size, beautiful spread of fruits or flowers, panel top; sells everywhere from $18 to $25; Monday.. $10

$16 Art Glass Dome; amber or green, with fringe..... $3.98
$15 Art Domes, with pretty tube fringe and spearwork casing; 24-inch size..... $5.98



Gas Showers
$12 value; made of solid brush brass; all complete with fancy round frosted shades, dome, burners and mantles (like picture) 4-light; until p. m. only.... $5.98

$6 Gas Shower; 3-light; complete..... $3.98
10c Inverted Gas Mantles, each... 4c

Extra!
$8 Gas Fixture; solid brass; 3-light; fancy patterns; 3-light for bedroom or living room... $1.49

$10 Brush Brass Reading Lamps (like picture); for gas or electric; complete; has large dome shade, with fringe..... $5.98
$4 Reading Lamps; brush brass, with art shade or mission style; for gas or electric; complete... $2.49



ELECTRIC SHOWERS
Solid brush brass; chain effect; newest designs; wired complete, with glassware.
$4 Shower, complete, 3-light..... $1.98
$5 Shower, complete, 3-light..... $2.98
$6 Shower, complete, 4-light..... $3.98
$15 Electric Shower (like cut); solid brass; complete, wired; with glassware; 5-light..... $4.50



EXTRA UNTIL 9 P. M.
$2 Rich American Cut Glass Water Jugs; buzz star pattern..... $1.98
50c Cut Glass Tumblers; buzz star; each..... 29c
$2.50 Cut Glass Fruit Bowls; 8-inch size; buzz star and fan cutting..... $1.49
50c Cut Glass Toothpick Holders; special..... 25c
25c Cut Glass Salt and Pepper Shaker; each..... 10c
$4 Rodgers' Silver Child's Set; knife, fork, spoon, napkin ring and gold-lined case (Fifth Floor)..... 98c



$1 Inverted Gas Light; hexagon shape; complete with burner and mantle, 39c

85c 4 Yard Wide Linoleum, 29c

This is the celebrated Iron Wear Brand Linoleum, especially noted for long wearing qualities; made of genuine cork, linseed oil and rubber; will wear for years; is full 4 yards wide; will cover your floor without a seam; comes in a good selection of fancy patterns; this goods if bought regularly would cost you 85c; extra special for Monday at, a yard (4th Floor)..... 29c

$1.00 Linoleum; extra heavy; made from genuine cork, linseed oil and rubber; will wear for years with ordinary use. Comes in a rare selection of fancy patterns, in both 4 and 2 yards wide; a positive $1.00 value; extra special, in this holiday sale, at, a yard, (Fourth Floor)..... 39c

$1.35 Inlaid Linoleum; 2 yards wide; pattern through to back; no wearing off. Comes in a good selection of fancy patterns. A positive $1.50 value; during this sale Monday at just one-half; special, at, a yard..... 75c



15c Madras and Scrims

A large and beautiful assortment of Madras and Scrims; come in plain borders and allover centers; many splendid patterns to select from; all fast colors; 36 inches wide; Monday's special (Fourth Floor)..... 8c

XMAS SPECIALS

50c Tea Pots
Fine Imported Brown Rockingham Teapots; large sizes; pretty decoration of enamel work, in floral and conventional design (Fifth Floor). 25c

50c Children's Dresses
Of good quality percale and gingham, well made and neatly trimmed with contrasting colors; size 6 to 14; special Monday, Basement. 25c

$2 Cereal Sets
Imported China Cereal Sets, blue and white, consisting of 4 large Cereal Jars, 4 Spice Jars and fancy Salt Box with cover; extra pieces to be had; one to a customer. 98c

25c Sateen
Satin finish, 27 to 36 inches wide, in black, navy, brown, tan, slate, light blue, Copenhagen, purple, red and green; holiday special, per yard (Basement). 5c

$4 to $5 Lace Curtains



Over 400 pairs of handsome new patterns, from 10 to 30 pairs of a kind, included are all the very best 16-point Brussels net, French cable net, Saxony, Egyptian, art filet, point d'esprit, fish net, Scotch, French and Arabian novelty curtains; all made of linen warp; these curtains never have and may never sell again for such an extremely low price, both white and Arabian; special for Monday only (Fourth Floor)..... $1.35

$1.00 Lace Curtains; just think of it, high-grade Nottingham Curtains for only Monday (Fourth Floor)..... 49c
$1.00 Rope Portieres; heavy velvet chenille rope, both red and green; very pretty drape (Fourth Floor)..... 49c
89c Window Shades; mounted on good rollers; all colors, good quality of linen, mellon and oil opaque (Fourth Floor)..... 19c



Fourth Floor.

$30 Dining Room Set, $14.95



A large, massive Colonial quartered oak Table, 6 feet extension, very highly finished; 6 Chairs of selected quartered oak, upholstered in genuine Spanish leather; golden oak or Early English; specially priced, Monday..... $14.95

$6 All-Felt Mattress

Monday we will offer you another opportunity to secure one of our King Comfort Mattresses at about cost price; full 45 lbs.; all felt, with best quality of fancy art or stripe ticking, any size (Sixth Floor)..... $3.75



Complete Bed Outfit, $7.98
This complete $12 sleeping outfit, consisting of a heavy Vernis Martin or white enamel bed, a good, heavy wire-covered spring, with 4 rows of supports and a heavy cotton mattress, with stripe ticking; any size; at..... $7.98

Wear-Ever Aluminum Sale



$4.00 Tea Kettle; 2-qt., 1-piece Wear-Ever kind, special..... $2.98
$1.25 Fry Pans; lipped; Wear-Ever kind..... 79c
$3.00 Cast Skillet; very heavy with black enamel handle..... $1.49
$2.50 Lipped Preserving Kettle; 10-qt. size..... 98c
$1.65 Lipped Preserving Kettle; Wear-Ever; 8-qt..... 79c
$1 Lipped Wear-Ever Aluminum Saucepan..... 50c
$1.00 Berlin Kettle, with cover; Wear-Ever kind..... 79c
$2.25 Wear-Ever Aluminum Tea or Coffee Pots..... $1.50
$4 Wear-Ever Aluminum Double Roaster; special..... $2.98
75c Wear-Ever Aluminum Steamer, with cover..... 49c
$2 Wear-Ever Aluminum Windsor Kettle, with cover $1.35
$2 Wear-Ever Aluminum Double Rice Boiler..... $1.25
$1.50 Wear-Ever Aluminum Covered Buckets; 3-qt. size..... 85c
$2 Pure Aluminum Coffee Percolator; 9-cup size; extra special, (5th Fl.) $1.59

XMAS SPECIALS

$8.00 Coats
Women's and misses' Coats; come in different styles in assorted colors and sizes. Monday in Basement Suit Dept. $1.00

The Basement Store Is Brimful of Good Holiday Suggestions at Big Savings

Women's Union Suits
Women's Union Suits; these come in rib, fleece, bleached and unbleached; high neck; long sleeves; all sizes (Basement)..... 18c

Mufflers
25c Mufflers; all colors and sizes; high and low necks; extra special Monday in the Basement..... 7½c

Women's $2 Shoes



Basement.

Women's High Shoes; all sizes; all styles; all lasts; gunmetal, vici and patent leather; Monday, Holiday Sale Price, in Basement, $1.00

$4 Wool Blankets



Excellent quality Woolnap Blankets; size 72x84; weight 4 lbs., silk-stitched edges, neat border; steam shrunk; the biggest special we have ever attempted; only 50 pairs; not more than 2 pairs to a customer; Monday special (in Basement Blanket Dept.), per pair. $1.39

$1 COMFORTS Cotton-filled Comforts; size 66x72; with silkoline covering; extra heavy; our regular $1.25 value; special, 50c each.....

50c BLANKET REMNANTS $20 Blanket Ends, in gray, tan, white, plaids, mixed cotton and wool; each Monday in Blanket Dept.)..... 5c

$1 Nullifiers



Women's Fur and Ribbon Trimmed Nullifiers, in all colors; regular $1.50 value; on sale Monday. Holiday Sale Price (In Basement), 38c

50c Brocaded Silk, 25c

50c Brocaded Silks
Genuine woven Jacquard silk, 36 inches wide; a complete line of colors, in figures, flowers and stripes; positively 50c quality; Holiday Special, per yard (Basement).. 25c

25c Japonica Silk
36 inches wide; in plain and dots; a complete line of colors; just the silk for scarfs, waists and dresses; Holiday special, per yard (Basement)..... 15c

60c Silk
Brocaded Silk, 36 inches wide; a good line of colors and patterns. Holiday special, per yard (Basement)..... 39c

$1.00 Velvet
Brocaded Velvet 22 inches wide; in black, navy, dark brown, cardinal, crimson and emerald. Holiday special, per yard (Basement)..... 75c

75c Corduroy
22 inches wide; silk finish; a good line of colors; positively 75c value; holiday special, per yard (Basement)..... 42c

85c Silk Messaline
All silk, 24 inches wide; a complete line of colors; positively 85c value; Holiday Special, per yard (Basement)..... 59c

35c Serges
Whipcords, English tweeds and suitings 36 inches wide; in black, navy, brown and green. Holiday special, per yard (Basement)..... 19c

25c Poplin
Plain stripes and fancies in full pieces; in black, navy, white, green, red, brown, tan and gray. Holiday special, per yard (Basement)..... 12½c

Grocery Specials

23 lbs. Sugar for $1.00 with a purchase of $1.00 or more in the Grocery Dept.

Regular 5c pkgs. N. K. Fairbank's Gold Dust..... 10 pkgs. 19c

$7 Fur Sets
Women's and Misses' Black and Brown Coney Fur Sets; the scarf is made in up-to-date style with head and tail; large pillow muff to match; regular $7 value; Monday (In Basement Suit Dept.)..... $3.95

$15 Coats
This lot includes black Astrakhan, kersey cloth, straight fronts and cutaways; others are black Velvet with broaded collar and cuffs with large pearl buttons and other mixtures, in all the very newest styles (In Basement Suit Dept.)..... $7.95

$10 Coats
Women's and Misses' Coats, consisting of black Astrakhan, chinchillas and other mixtures; cutaways and straight fronts, with deep collars and belted backs and other pleasing features; Monday in Basement Suit Dept..... $5.00

$2 Muffs
Misses' and Children's Black Coney Muffs; regular $2 values; Monday in Basement Suit Dept..... 89c

12½c Dress Flannelettes
Good desirable dress patterns in heavy Fleece Dress Flannelettes; the goods comes in full pieced and is a real 12½c value; Monday holiday sale price, per yard in basement..... 5c

$1 Sweaters
For women, in assorted designs; good, heavy quality; two pockets; V necks; pearl buttons in assorted colors, light and dark; all sizes; special, 28c (Basement.)



Fruit of the Loom Muslin
In full pieces; free from dressing and fully 36 inches wide; Monday, Holiday Sale Price, per yard (Basement)..... 5c

XMAS SPECIALS

$8.00 Coats
Women's and misses' Coats; come in different styles in assorted colors and sizes. Monday in Basement Suit Dept. $1.00

25c Sateen
Satin finish, 27 to 36 inches wide, in black, navy, brown, tan, slate, light blue, Copenhagen, purple, red and green; holiday special, per yard (Basement). 5c

Second Floor.

A Store Transformed Greets You Now!

SPECTACULAR CHRISTMAS ATTRACTIONS COMBINED WITH GIFT LINES IN INTEREST-QUICKENING DISPLAYS

The mysterious Polar Bears that hand out gifts suited to the recipients. How do they know these boys and girls? Can you solve problem? A two-act vaudeville show daily at hours of 11, 1, 2, 3 and 4 "Punch and Judy" and a stirring bird act featuring the Australian Cockatoo



Nugent's — Queens of Underselling

SCORES OF GREAT BOOTHS THROUGHOUT THE STORE

To Busy Men and Women:—We Suggest Buying **GLOVE and MERCHANDISE CERTIFICATES**—They Save Time and Are Sure of Welcome.

ENTIRE SALESROOM OF DOLLS AND TOYS

We are ready with every store convenience to make your Christmas shopping a pleasure. We planned and are inaugurating the display of distinctive gift lines in GREAT BOOTHS—we've made them easily accessible. Our facilities for shopping on transfers, for ordering by telephone **(ask for the Phone Order Bureau)**, for deliveries, etc., are at their best.

FRENCH IVORY

Special for Monday in This Great Gift Line



Just as shown—French Ivory Hairbrushes that are $2.50 values, having 13 rows of real bristles mounted in a concave back of this popular material—a splendid gift—very specially priced at..... **$1.98**

8¼-inch **extra heavy** Dressing Combs of French ivory—choice of all coarse or coarse and fine—yours at 75c

Nail Buffers of French ivory with removable chamois, in ivory pocket....85c

Clothes Brushes—seven rows of real bristles, mounted in French ivory..$1.00

Hand Mirrors—fine French bevel glass, 4¾ inches in diameter, mounted in French ivory—yours at $2.00

A HOST OF FINE GIFT JEWELRY NOVELTIES



Women's fine gold-filled Bracelet — with chased front—has hidden spring $3.00

Pretty Gold Filigree Bar Pins with cameo setting—each in a neat lined box—at 50c

Men's Gold-filled Cuff Links, English finish with chip diamond setting—priced $1.00

$4.25 German silver Mesh Bags, with double mesh—have fancy etched frames and are lined with silk— $2.95

Beaded Hand Bags in combinations of black, steel and colors, floral or conventional designs..$5

La Valliere with silver chain—filigree pendant, set with rhinestone and pearl drop $1.00

Waist Pin Sets—12kt. gold front—two beauty pins and one bar pin—in white lined box.50c

German Silver Mesh Bags — 4-inch etched frame with cathedral link handles—priced Monday at....$1.50

Gold Vanity Case in the newest shape—has 2½x2¾-inch mirror, two coin holders and powder puff—a surely welcome gift—inexpensive at...$5.00

Pretty Bar Pins with 10-k. gold tops —choice of plain or engraved designs — Monday at 50c

Children's Beaded Mesh Purse with gold frames and lined with silk—splendid values..50c

Women's Silk Watch Fobs, gold-filled safety clasp and chain—are extra special at ...$1.00

Sterling Silver Enameled Waist Pin Sets—two beauty pins and one bar pin in dainty designs—put up in lined boxes $1.75

Women's Gold-filled Bracelets, pretty chased tops with plain centers for engraving $1.00

Toilet Set — $5.00 German silver Toilet Set—mirror, hair-brush and comb, in white lined box—special.....$2.95

Shaving Stand — Nickel-plated Shaving Stand, with swinging mirror, porcelain-lined cup and lather brush...$1.50

Manicure Set — Set contains seven articles—all are in neat black leatherette covered, lined case.....$1.25

Work Bags — Leather Work Bags with thread, darning cotton, needles and pair of scissors—silk drawstring..$1.50

Dinner Gong — Polished brass Dinner Gongs, with chamois covered gong stick — make splendid gifts—at...$1.00

Shaving Set — Nickel-plated stand with French bevel mirror, two nickel-plated porcelain cups and lather brush.....$2.95

Manicure Sets — Twelve pieces of white celluloid and bone handles—two pair scissors—in black leatherette case.$2.19

TREFOUSSE!

The Glove Gift Line of Heartiest Welcome

We haven't a doubt that thousands of women are hopefully looking forward to the receipt of Trefousse Gloves for Christmas. We are sole St. Louis agents—we are fully prepared to meet your wants.

Short lengths Glace Gloves—the Trefousse.....$1.50, $1.65 and $2.00

Short lengths Suede Gloves—the Trefousse—at ....$1.35, $1.50, $1.65 and $2.00

Long length Glace Gloves—the Trefousse—at ...$2, $2.50, $4, $4.50 and $4.75

Long length Suede Gloves—the Trefousse—at .....$2.50, $3 and $3.50

Extra Special Monday

For the one day only—your choice of our regular $1.50 Carmen and San Remo Gloves in three-button and one-button styles respectively—the Trefousse Gloves that swept all Paris this season. These button Gloves are the newest thing—here are gifts sure of welcome. They are yours tomorrow at just **$1.35**

HANDKERCHIEFS FOR EVERYONE

A Compelling Christmas Line



25c to 50c Kinds at 15c

To give the Christmas selling an enthusiastic beginning, we have combined two splendid purchases of women's actual 25 to 50 cent Handkerchiefs—you can choose of the entire lot tomorrow at one great bargain price. Some are of fine pure linen with beautiful corner embroidered designs, and others are of splendid French mull with dainty point de Venice lace trimmings. They are sure of welcome—are wonderful values at..... **15c**

Boxed Handkerchiefs—Women's pretty embroidered Handkerchiefs—three in fancy box—at.....25c

Boxed Handkerchiefs—Women's peasant embroidered Handkerchiefs—three in a box —at.....50c

Boxed Handkerchiefs—Women's beautiful pure linen Handkerchiefs — four in box—at.....$1.00

Handkerchiefs — Women's fine showy Handkerchiefs with deep, rich, Princess lace edge—at only....$1.00

Handkerchiefs — Women's real Irish Tatting Handkerchiefs—pure linen centers—at.....75c

Handkerchiefs — Real Limerick lace trimmed Handkerchiefs for women—splendid values at.....$2.98

Handkerchiefs — Women's real Carrickmacross lace trimmed Handkerchiefs—very finest hand made—at $5.95

Handmade Handkerchiefs—Women's real handmade Armenian lace Handkerchiefs—pure linen centers.....50c

Madeira Handkerchiefs — Women's linen scalloped Madeira embroidered Handkerchiefs—at.....25c

Men's Handkerchiefs—Regular 25-cent pure linen Handkerchiefs—yours in a great special offering 19c

Men's Handkerchiefs—Pure Irish linen, hemstitched initialed Handkerchiefs — two styles of letters.....15c

Men's Handkerchiefs—Beautiful Irish hand embroidered initial Handkerchiefs—pure linen.....25c

Boxed Handkerchiefs—Men's fine pure Irish linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs — three in a box, very specially priced.....85c

Lace-Trimmed Handkerchiefs—all our own special importation—all with hand-made real Princess or Brussels lace trimmings. Yours in three special lots:—

In one great lot—real 35-cent value—at ..... 15c | In one great lot—real 50-cent value—at ..... 39c | In one great lot—real 75-cent value—at 50c

FINE CUT GLASS & CHINA

Here In a Wonderful Gift Assortment



You who have visited this department will readily appreciate why the arrangement of this section offers you unequaled advantages in your gift selections.

EXTRA SPECIAL—This Cut Glass Water Set shown—large tankard shaped jug with six glasses—real $7.75 value at but..... $4.95

Dinner Sets—$25 100-piece sets of fine thin Austrian china with spray decorations, $16.50

Dinner Sets—$16.50 100-piece sets of English semi-porcelain in conventional designs, $12.95

Serving Trays — In mahogany finish with brass handles—glass-covered cretonne bottoms, $1.00

Salad Bowls—15-cent Bowls of fine thin china with delicately and rose decorations—at 9c

Cups and Saucers—15-cent thin china Cups and Saucers, in the plain shapes pretty styled.10c

Cut Glass—$3.50 Sugar and Cream Sets of clear glass in rock crystal floral cuttings—at $2.69

Fern Dishes — $1.25 china Fern Dishes in many pretty shapes and floral and gold designs, 89c

Tea Plates—95-cent fancy china plates in a large assortment of beautiful decorations 59c

Napkins—$2 7-inch finest clear glass with pinwheel and hobstar cuttings — special at ..$1.49

Dresser Sets — $2.50 5-piece sets—hand painted — hatpin holder, powder box, tray, etc. $1.69

Percolators — $7.50 and $8.00 copper or nickel plated Coffee Percolators—plain or fancy, $4.05

Salt and Pepper Shakers—14-cent hand-painted Shakers in a large assortment of decorations, set 10c

Casseroles — $3.50 large size round white china Casseroles with nickel-plated footed holders $2.69

Mayonnaise Sets — 35-cent hand-painted sets—bowl, plate and ladle—dainty decorations, 59c

Cake Sets—$2.60 7-piece sets large handled Cake Plate and 6 small plates—hand painted, $1.79

NOTED "DANIEL GREEN" SLIPPERS

A Great Christmas Sale Tomorrow



$1.25, $1.50 and $2.00 Kind at 85c

Here are the wonderful "Daniel Green" trade-marked Slippers that are world-wide in their renown—the ideal slipper gift, such is their utility for general use. We propose to crowd our Basement Shoe Section with this introductory Christmas slipper sale—hence this price. You can choose of all styles, the "Comfy," the "Romeo," the "Everett's," the "Juliet," etc.—in a wonderful assortment of colors. Ready to morrow at 8:30—come anticipating supplying all your gift wants and buying for yourself as well. The bargains are evident at.. **85c**

NOTE—All that are advertised on page 64 of the December issue of the Woman's Home Companion are included in this sale.

Bath Slippers—Splendid carpet Bath Slippers for men and women—in many different designs—choice from all sizes — in this sale Monday at but.....30c

Knit Slippers — Women's pretty Knit Slippers in all colors and sizes—are trimmed with ribbons and have lambs' wool pair, at.....49c

Felt Slippers — Children's and misses' Slippers—of felt, with cord finish—light leather sole and cushion insoles—sizes from 5 to 2—at.....59c

Felt Slippers — Women's "Everett" Slippers in red, black and brown—have light leather soles with cushion insoles—sizes 2½ to 7—at.....59c

Satin Slippers—Children's fine Satin Slippers with light leather soles and cushion insoles—fancy pompons—sizes 8½ to 11 and 11½ to 2.....75c

Boudoir Slippers—Women's Suede Slippers in London smoke and Royal blue—satin lined, with leather soles and silk pompons—sizes 2½ to 7.....79c

Men's Slippers—"Walkover" special cushion sole Slippers — finely finished in opera style—choice of tan or black, in sizes 5 to 11.....$1.85

Satin Boudoirs — Women's Satin Slippers with silk pompons — cushion insoles and leather soles—in black, green, blue, pink, lavender and red.....98c

Men's Slippers—Splendidly made Slippers in Operas and Everette—in black or tan leathers — priced at from 95 cents to.....$2.50

75c PILLOWCASES, 48c

Special for Monday—beautiful embroidered Pillowcases with initials in choice designs—each pair in a neat gift box. These were made to our order for Christmas selling. To induce early buying, we price them for tomorrow only, pair.... **48c**

Finest scalloped embroidered edge Sheets in new designs—full 81x99-inch size—$1.00 values at.....89c

Scalloped Sheets Sets—1 Sheet and 2 Pillowcases, extra fine quality—in neat gift boxes—set $1.48

25-cent Scalloped Pillowcases, 42 or 45 inch sizes of fine quality — choice of either size at 20c

New woven comfortables in the latest designs and colorings — fast colors, in large sizes—special..$2.75

Down Comforts — worth $7.00—with sateen covers in fancy scroll stitched designs $5.90

$1.00 Scalloped Baby Blankets, full yard wide, in pink or blue—splendid values, Monday at but...79c

Second Floor.

98c CENTERPIECES, 50c

Special for Monday—Pure linen Centerpieces, trimmed with real handmade Cluny lace—the 20-inch size in a number of fetching patterns. A great Christmas offering—very specially priced to induce active selling—tomorrow at..... **50c**

Table Runners of natural color crash — beautifully embroidered in wanted colors—great values at..50c

$1.98 pure linen Cluny Lace Trimmed Scarfs, in the 18x54-inch size — our price is but $1.59

Pure linen satin damask hemstitched Table Set—70x70-inch cloth—1 dozen 23-inch Napkins....$7.50

Madeira hand embroidered round Centerpieces of pure linen — several patterns—20-inch size ...98c

Real hand crocheted lace trimmed round Centerpieces — 18x54-inch Scarfs—of pure linen.....$2.98

Hemstitched Sets of fine pure linen, 63x81-inch Cloth and 18-inch Napkins to match—at $5.25

Main Floor.

MEN'S CHRISTMAS SETS

A beautiful Combination Set, consisting of a rich reversible silk scarf, a pair of silk sox, a silk handkerchief, a gold-filled scarf pin and a gold-filled tie clasp—all in a round leatherette case. This excellent combination priced at only..... **$1.25**

Combination Sets—include one fine belt and one pair web garters in pad style—Monday at 65c

Combination Sets—reversible silk scarf, fine silk handkerchief, scarf pin and cuff links — at.....75c

Combination Sets—in book shaped box—wide silk scarf, pad garters and belt — in colors $1.00

Combination Sets—reversible silk scarf, Jap silk handkerchief, shell pearl scarf pin and links..$1.00

Suspender Sets — fine elastic suspenders and silk cable web pad garters — at 50c

Silk elastic suspenders with fine calf and gold-plated buckles and fastenings—in holiday box, $1.00

Main Floor.

$5 SILK KIMONOS, $3.95

Extra Special for Monday—Rich, silk kimonos, made in the Empire style with fancy satin collar—choice of an unusual group including both light and dark colors. They are remarkably priced to induce early shopping—any at... **$3.95**

$1.25 Kimonos of crepe cloth, made French back, trimmed with satin—in all patterns 98c

$2.95 Kimonos of seco silk in Japanese patterns, shirred yoke and satin trimmed — special Monday at $2.25

Kimonos of Indian cloth, cut very full and trimmed with satin — priced very low at $2.95

Imported Japanese hand embroidered Kimonos in red, navy and lavender—floral designs.....$10.95

Children's $1.25 Kimonos in crepe or flannelette with fancy borders or satin trimmings — special Monday at 98c

Dressing Sacques of silk or satin with shirred ribbon trimming—fitted with cord—special only..$2.25

Fourth Floor.

SILK HOSIERY AT 85c

Extra Special for Monday — Hosiery of fine gauge, ingrain dyed, pure thread silk with all silk or cotton garter tops and double soles, heels and toes. In white, blue and all the new shades—a great Christmas offering at..... **85c**

Women's pure thread Silk Stockings, with deep cotton welt—in black, white and colors.....50c

Women's pure thread Silk Stockings — deep cotton garter top—in plain black—at 79c

Women's fast black pure thread Silk Stockings, in the heavy weight — double woven garter tops...$1.50

Children's fine ribbed fiber Silk Stockings—in black, white and tan—(3 pair $1.00) pair....35c

Men's pure vegetable Silk Half Hose in black, tan, navy, pearl gray—(3 pair $1.00) at.....35c

Men's imported fast black Cotton Hose with double soles, heels and toes—pair 25c

Main Floor.

WOMEN'S COATS

Now — in a Great Compelling Sale



Second Floor.

Made Possible by Unusual Conditions

This will be known as "The Coat Sale of Years," so extraordinary are the opportunities. Weather conditions, unfavorable to coat selling throughout the entire country, compelled the makers to act. We saw the conditions and took full advantage, this remarkable sale being the result.

Five Wonderful Lots

Here are Women's and Misses' Coats of every kind from the great makers who are our regular sources of supply, those who make the coats for which we are so renowned. These are their finest—many are identical to their own—they are coats you will seize upon at these prices.

Women's Coats Worth $19.75 to $22.50—Coats of splendid chinchilla, boucle, striped velour and novelty coatings—some lined—all sizes at..... **$11.00**

Women's Coats Worth $25.00 to $27.50—Made of fine Salts' sealette plush, Salts' astrakhan, etc.; in ¾ and ⅞ lengths lined throughout—at..... **$17.00**

Women's Coats Worth $29.75 to $32.50—New Coats of Persian paw, Salts' sealette plush, etc.—in the very latest cutaway and draped effects; all sizes..... **$21.00**

Women's Coats Worth $35.00 to $37.50—Man tailored and of splendid materials—in the ⅞ or ¾ lengths and lined with the finest satin—all sizes..... **$24.00**

Women's Coats Worth $40.00 to $45.00—The very latest styles in strictly hand-tailored coats of fine brocaded plush, sibeline, etc.—all sizes..... **$27.00**

IMPORTED HATS THAT WERE $20.00 AND $25.00

Yours Monday at Only $8.50 in a Great Closing Out Sale



This includes every Hat we have that was imported to sell at $22.50 and $25.00, only our latest received fur hats being withheld. We deem it best to clear this entire line, even though this is just the height of the season for these beautiful Dress Hats. Because the bargain is so extraordinary none can be exchanged or credited. Take your choice at just..... **$8.50**

Trimmed Hats—$12.00 and $15.00 values—all are new and many are trimmed with fur—special at but.....$5.00

Trimmed Hats—$18 new Trimmed Fur Hats—in the prevailing combinations most wanted—Monday at $12.50

Untrimmed Hats—$10.00 and $15.00 shapes of wonderful plushes and imported velvets—Monday $3.50

Fancy Ostrich—$1.95 to $2.95 fancy imported feather pieces—splendid values for Monday at but 98c

Untrimmed Hats—$2.25 to $3.50 shades in the most wanted styles—all silk velvets in black and color 75c

Fancy Ostrich—Real $4.50 and $5.00 values—most unusual pieces for elegant dress hats, etc.....$2.50



Second Floor.

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS AT 48c

Special for the One Day Only—Your unrestricted choice from any of our women's 58-cent Suits. The wonderful line of fine ribbed, pure white cotton Suits for which we are so greatly noted. As a rousing special for Monday's selling, we offer these tomorrow only at..... **48c**

Women's cream white jersey ribbed cotton Union Suits—perfect fitting, with long or short sleeves, $1.00

Women's white silk-and-wool mixed Union Suits—silk trimmed—in all shapes—splendid values—at $3.50

Boys' ecru color, cotton ribbed, fleece lined Union Suits—good, heavy Winter weight—each, at.....50c

Women's heavy Winter-weight cotton Union Suits—fleece-lined back—pure white or cream color.. $1.00

Women's all-wool jersey ribbed Union Suits—silk shell edging—finished with pearl buttons—at $3.25

Boys' ecru Egyptian cotton ribbed Union Suits—medium weight—perfect fitting—all sizes—at 85c

(Fourth Floor.)

Women's medium-weight merino Union Suits—silk trimmed and finished—all shapes—special at..$1.50

Misses' pure white cotton Union Suits—heavy fleece lined backs—drop seat—all sizes—at 50c

Boys' silver gray merino and heavy natural gray wool ribbed Union Suits—3 to 16-year sizes $1.00

$2.50 CREPE METEORS AT $1.55

A remarkable bargain—exquisite Crepe Meteors that are full 40 inches wide and in those beautiful, light and dark brocaded designs that are so effective for street and afternoon dresses. Our real $2.50 quality, extraordinarily priced to induce quick selling at..... **$1.55**

$6.50 imported Chiffon Velvets, 41 inches wide—in navy, Copenhagen and French blues, tans, etc...$4.75

$2.50 black Crepe de Chine—44 inches wide—in the wanted dull weave—extra heavy quality $1.98

$2.50 Black Charmeuse—standard quality—soft, dull finish—40 inches wide—special at $1.98

$1.55 Silk Charmeuse, dull finish—40 inches wide—in light and dark blues, tans and yellows—at $1.15

$2.50 black Canton Crepe—heavy quality—42 inches wide—in the dull weave—jet black—Monday ..$1.89

$1.98 Silk Corduroys, in soft qualities—in light and dark blues and black—a great bargain at.....$1.15

(Main Floor.)

$1.50 Satin Messalines—full 40 in. wide—in light and dark colors—extra heavy quality—at $1.15

$2.98 Satin Crepe Egyptian—full 40 in. wide—in a soft weave—for waists and dresses—at $1.89

$1.25 imported Costume Velvets, in all colors, for suits and dresses—special Monday at 98c

NEW OVERCOATS

In a Rousing Sale for All Men

At Remarkable Bargain Prices



Here's a sale that calls for prompt, decisive action. It matters not whether your need is immediate—buying for next season is justifiable at the prices our purchases make possible.

Thank the Weather

Place yourself in the position of the great clothing makers with no overcoats selling because of the country-wide, unusual weather conditions. Wouldn't you sell? We knew they would—our buyer covered the eastern markets—to this is due these five tremendous bargain prices. Come expecting the extraordinary—join the hundreds of discerning men who are realizing the unusual savings.

Men's Overcoats Worth $15.00 to $17.50—Splendid heavy weight, 52-inch Coats with convertible or shawl collars and belted backs—all sizes 33 to 46 at..... **$9.00**

Men's Overcoats Worth $18.00 to $20.00—All are in the correct styles—52-inch or ¾ lengths—of cheviots, kerseys and plain and fancy mixtures..... **$12.00**

Men's Overcoats Worth $22.50 and $25.00—Made of blue and gray chinchilla, Scotch fabrics, plain kerseys and mel-tons—sizes 33 to 46—at..... **$15.00**

Men's Overcoats Worth $27.50 to $30.00—Fine hand-tailored Coats in lengths from 46 to 52 inches—plain or convertible collars—great values at..... **$17.00**

Men's Overcoats Worth $33.50 and $35.00—Here are the finest Overcoats—of the richest materials in all sizes—these are wonderful values at..... **$19.00**

Third Floor.

Extra—$1.45 Scrim Curtains in plain and cross-bar designs, in white, beige, ivory and Arabian—pair 85c

Extra—$7.50 French Lace Arabian Curtains of the finest make—in very effective patterns; pr. $6.15

$22.50 Rugs, $17.50

Seamless Wilton Velvet Rugs in the popular 9x12 size—in Oriental and floral designs—Monday $17.50

Extra—$3.95 plain and fancy Scrim Curtains, with lace edge and insertions—white, ivory and Arabian—at $2.98

Extra—$6.50 imported Irish Curtains, appliqued on best quality net—in handsome patterns; pr. $5.50

$30.00 Rugs, $22.50

S. Sanford & Sons' seamless Royal Beauvis Axminster Rugs—9x12—copies of real Orientals—at $22.50

Extra—$2.75 Saxony Brussels, Madras and Scotch weave Lace Curtains in white, ivory and Arabian $2.10

Extra—$2.95 Odessa Sunfast Portieres, in all the wanted colors—splendid qualities—pair at but..$2.00

RED CROSS STAMPS ARE READY FOR CHRISTMAS SALE

Society for Relief and Prevention of Tuberculosis Asks Liberal Support.

CONDITIONS IMPROVING

Statement Tells What the Organization Accomplishes With $1600 a Month.

The St. Louis Society for the Relief and Prevention of Tuberculosis, organized in 1904 to furnish medical treatment to tuberculosis sufferers and to conduct a campaign of prevention, is sending broadcast in St. Louis circulars appealing for aid through the sale of Red Cross Christmas stamps.

Each year the society has sold stamps for the benefit of the fund for carrying on the work. The society receives is chief revenue from the stamp sales.

The 1913 stamps are in green and red. They bear the Red Cross emblem and a picture of Santa Claus in a sleigh drawn by reindeer.

Persons desiring to aid in the fight on tuberculosis are requested by the society to mail checks payable to Hugh McK. Jones, treasurer, at the headquarters, room 608 Board of Education Building. Stamps to the amount of the contribution will be sent in return.

What Has Been Done.

In circulars outlining what has been done, the society states that in 1905 there were 21 cities having a lower tuberculosis death rate than St. Louis. In 1913 there were only five.

In seven years more than 3000 persons in St. Louis died of tuberculosis. In 1905 there were 1462 deaths from that disease and in 1913 there were only 927.

The society maintains an open-air school, where 35 children with tubercular tendencies have been cured. It maintains a staff of trained nurses, a staff of 126 physicians, an employment bureau, an education department, a social service department and a legislative department, which promotes city and State legislation for the betterment of public health. Physicians and nurses visit the afflicted in their homes and scrubwomen are sent to homes in which there is tuberculosis to keep them in a cleanly condition to prevent the spread of the disease.

Expense Is $1600 a Month.

The expense of the society is about $1600 a month. It is supported by voluntary contributions.

The Christmas stamps add to the attractiveness of gift packages. Under the postal regulations these stamps may be placed on the reverse side of packages and envelopes from that containing the address and the postage stamp. The stamps do not take the place of postage stamps.

Stocker & Price Stor. and Auc. Co. Auction Mons. and Thurs., 1923 Franklin.

SELPH GIVES CHRISTMAS RULES FOR PARCEL POST

Postmaster Says Packages Should Be Mailed Early and Carefully Wrapped.

A circular containing instructions on how to send Christmas presents by parcel post has been issued by Postmaster Selph. Owing to the great numbers of packages received for transmission through the mails during the Christmas period he says that great care should be taken to see that packages are properly wrapped, tied and addressed.

There is danger in the handling of great numbers of packages that some will be crushed. The use of wood or metal boxes is recommended.

Packages should be mailed so that they will reach the postoffice of destination at least two days before Christmas, he said. Under that rule packages intended for delivery in Eastern cities should be mailed not later than Dec. 17, and for intermediate points not later than Dec. 18. Parcels for local delivery should be mailed by Dec. 22, and for all Western points not later than Dec. 15.

The sender will be permitted to write or print on the outside of the package "Merry Christmas," "Happy New Year," "Do not open until Christmas," "With Best Wishes," in addition to his name and address.

Charley: A diamond-set La Valliere or watch would suit me for a Christmas gift. Get it on credit at Loftis Bros. & Co., 2d floor. 308 N. 6th st

ELKS TO HOLD MEMORIAL

E. E. E. McJimsey of Springfield, Mo., Will Make Address.

Memorial services in memory of deceased members will be held Dec. 7 by the Elks Lodge at Christ Church Cathedral. The memorial address will be delivered by E. E. E. McJimsey of Springfield, Mo. The invocation will be by Dean Carroll C. Davis, and the ritual songs will be sung by the choir of Christ Church Cathedral.

The members of the lodge who have died the last year are: Adolphus Busch, Robert W. Barrick, Dan S. Fischell, Sylvian E. Friede, Charles E. Gossett, Dennis R. Guion, John S. McDermott, Charles H. Pierce, Fred J. Roeder, Gustav H. Schollmeyer and W. A. Witte.

"Buck's" Stoves and Ranges are made by good workmen, of good material and give good satisfaction.

Dr. Lindberg to Lecture Tonight.

Dr. B. W. Lindberg, a physician and chemist and lecturer of the Theosophical Society, will give the first of two free lectures in St. Louis tonight at Olcott Hall, Park and Grand avenue. His subject will be "The Way to Salvation." Tomorrow night he will give an illustrated lecture at the same hall on "Reincarnation."

See Tomorrow's Morning Papers for Some Extraordinary Values in Women's Apparel

Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney

OLIVE and LOCUST from NINTH to TENTH

In connection with James McCreery & Co., New York

See Today's Globe for Some Special Store News Not in This Advertisement

Vandervoort's Is Ready With a Holiday Stock That Is Unexcelled

—Start Your Christmas Shopping Tomorrow, as Early Choosing Is Invariably Best

¶ Tomorrow will be December 1st and Christmas is but twenty-one shopping days distant, consequently the interest in holiday shopping will be at "fever heat" from now on.

¶ With the greatly increased space now at our command, owing to our store occupying an entire city block, we have naturally been able to increase both the size and variety of our stocks.

¶ This means that at Vandervoort's you will find an unequaled variety of articles suitable for gift purposes and no matter what you select, it can be depended upon to be the best for the price no matter what the price. This page but hints as to possibilities of choice at this store.

¶ Visit our store tomorrow and let us demonstrate we can serve you best.

Our Holiday Stock of Jewelry

Is Now at Its Best and Is One That Will Appeal to All Tastes

Our Jewelry Department is stocked as never before with the choicest productions of the Old World, as well as of the New. We are ready to supply the needs of everyone, whether it be for an inexpensive ring or watch or for a fine solitaire diamond ring. Our buyer made a special trip to Europe this Summer to buy for the Christmas trade and the result of his purchases is expressed in our very elaborate showing.

Early choosing is especially essential because of the fact that in a number of instances we have but one piece of a kind.

You may rest assured that whatever you purchase in this department is the best for the price, no matter what the price.

Most of These Articles Are of Solid Gold

Solid Gold Cuff Buttons, in the newest effects, some set with diamonds, $1.25 to $45.00

Solid Gold Waldemar or Two-Pocket Vest Chains, with rope, long or fancy links, $4.95 to $18.00

Solid Gold Lapel Chains, in plain, rope or fancy-link styles $3.25 to $25.00

Solid Gold Cigarette Cases, in plain and tula, or ribbon effects $65 to $90

Solid Gold Cigar Cutters, including the new flat model and some set with diamonds $2.85 to $13.50

Solid Gold Pencils, either flat or round, $5 to $18.50

Solid Gold Knives, in all the newest designs $2.85 to $15

Solid Gold Match Boxes, in plain styles and those set with diamonds $13.50 to $25.00

Men's Solid Gold Full-dress Sets $25.00 to $37.50

Solid Gold Mesh Coin Purses, with plain or engraved frame $25.00 to $32.00

Genuine White Coral Beads, in the new opera lengths, graduated $5.00 to $25.00

Genuine Rose Coral La Vallieres $20.00 to $150.00

Solid Gold Vanity Cases, in the tula or hand-engraved style and elegantly fitted $200.00 to $250.00

Solid Gold Bracelets: plain, engraved, facet-cut and some set with diamonds, sapphires and amethysts $3.75 to $75.00

A direct importation of Hand-wrought Jewelry of 18-k. gold, including an exceptional assortment of Scarf Pins and Rings 75c to $225.00

Solid Gold and Platinum Scarf Pins set with pearls, diamonds, sapphires and all semi-precious stones $1.50 to $127.00

Children's Solid Gold Bead Necklaces, $6 to $7.50

Women's Solid Gold Bead Necklaces, $9 to $37.50

Oriental Pearl Beads $1.50 to $200

Solid Gold Rings, set with precious and semi-precious stones, as well as signet and emblem rings $2.75 to $40

Babies' Solid Gold Rings 75c to $5

Solid Gold Lockets, in engine turned, plain and engraved styles; heart and fancy shapes $3.25 to $19.50

Solid Gold Thimbles, in all sizes, $2.50 to $12

Solid Gold Guard Chains, with plain, rope or fancy links $10.75 to $75

Solid Gold Lorgnettes, with long or short handles, in plain, engraved and pierced styles $16.50 to $40.00

Solid Gold Crosses, in plain, engraved and fancy effects $4.00 to $8.50

Sterling Silver Bracelet Watches, in French gray finish or delicate shades of enamel, fitted with 15-jewel French movement $15.00 to $38.50

Solid Gold Bracelet Watches, fitted with jeweled American and French movements $22.50 to $75.00

Diamond and Platinum Bracelet Watches, fitted with 15-jewel French movements $185.00 to $241.50

Gold-filled Bracelet Watches $12.75

Bracelet Watches, with 10-k. case and 20-year gold-filled bracelet, fitted with jeweled American movements $15.50

Solid Gold Ribbon Fobs, with buckle or seal charm $5.00 to $12.50

Solid Gold Tie Clasps, in plain, engraved and engine-turned styles; some set with diamonds and sapphires $1.00 to $18.00

First Floor.

Umbrellas Make Excellent Gifts

And Our Stock Is a Representative One

Women's 26-inch Union Taffeta Umbrellas, with long Mission and Sterling-trimmed handles. Each $4.00

Women's All-Silk Taffeta Umbrellas, with handles, in a variety of fancy and silver-trimmed styles. Price $5.00

Women's All-Silk Umbrellas of extra quality, with silver and gold-filled trimmed handles, in unique designs. Prices $6.50, $7.50 and $9.50

Men's Union Taffeta Umbrellas, with natural wood, Mission, silver and gold-filled trimmed handles. Each $3.00

Men's Union Taffeta Umbrellas, with fancy horn and wood handles, with silver trimming. Price $4.50

An extra large variety of Men's All-Silk Taffeta Umbrellas, with the latest style handles. Each $5.00

Men's All-Silk Umbrellas, tight roll, with natural wood or Prince of Wales hook handle. Prices $5.00 and $6.50

Children's All-Silk Umbrellas, in all colors. Each $2.25

Children's Union Taffeta Umbrellas priced at 50c, 75c to $1.50

First Floor

Annual Holiday Sale of "Onyx" Hosiery

Trade Mark

Silk

Begins Tomorrow and Offers Some Extraordinary Values

This Silk Hosiery Event is the sale of the hour and of the year and eclipses all previous efforts. We make an unusually wide range of offerings in qualities and styles that we believe are improved.

The great success accorded this event in the past is a guarantee of satisfaction. You will find this to be the most opportune time to purchase for Christmas as well as for personal use.

All hosiery in this sale is boxed in special holiday boxes suitable for giving at Christmas.

Values $1.35 and $1.50 a Pair

Women's pure thread-silk Stockings in plain black, white, pink, sky and other colors. Values $1.35 and $1.50 a pair; sale price $1.00

Values $1.75 and $2.00 a Pair

A superb collection of Women's black and colored silk Stockings, in gauze, medium and heavy weights, some with lisle soles; all-silk black and white, with self and colored clocks, and black and colors with self-clocks. All have improved "Dub-L" tops and "Wyde" tops, high-spliced heels and double toes. Values $1.75 and $2.00 a pair; sale price $1.35

These Are Valued at $1.75 a Pair

An exceptional lot of women's black silk Stockings, with lisle tops and soles, all hand-embroidered; self and colored patterns, in a pleasing variety. Value $1.75 a pair; sale price $1.35

Values $2.50 to $3.00 a Pair

Women's pure silk-thread Stockings in black and colors, hand-embroidered in unusually rich floral and other patterns in self and illuminating colors, also a collection of "shot" or two-tone effects, Paris openwork clock and embroidered clocks. Values $2.50 to $3.00 a pair; sale price $1.95

Values $3.75 and $5.00 a Pair

Black and white pure-thread-silk Stockings, hand-embroidered in artistic designs in self-color, also an assortment of lace inserted patterns in black and white. Values $3.75 and $5.00 a pair; sale price $2.85

$1.50 Silk Hose at $1.17

As an additional attraction for this Silk Hosiery Sale we will include for Monday only our heavy-weight S-V-B black pure-thread-silk Stockings, with narrow lavender edge, deep silk garter welt, lisle lined and lisle-lined heel, sole and toe. Value $1.50 a pair; sale price $1.17

First Floor.

Our Line of Toys for Christmas

Is One in Which Every Little Child Will Delight



The greatly enlarged Toy Department is splendidly ready to supply you from the most wonderfully complete stock we have ever seen. As many of these articles are imported it will be impossible to reorder in time for Christmas, hence it is advisable to shop early. Our stock includes:

Spelling Boards amuse the children and at the same time instruct them. Price $1

An assortment of Painting Outfits and Painting Books, priced at 10c to $4

A very large line of Skin and Plush Animals, including the wonderful "Steiff" Animals, which are the very best made. Among them are lions, bears, oxen, cows, horses, camels and dogs. Prices 25c to $18

Radiopticon, Postcard Projector — excellent for showing postcards and kodak pictures. Prices $3 to $17.50

"Magic Mysto" Parlor Tricks—sleight-of-hand tricks that any child can do. Prices 25c to $10.00

Steering Coasters of excellent construction, priced at $1.25 to $4.00

A complete stock of iron Toys, including Hook and Ladders, Fire Engines, Hose Reels and Automatic Ladders. Prices $1.75 to $2.25

Printing Presses make excellent gifts for boys or girls, and in the Toy Dept. the Rotary Presses are being demonstrated. Prices $1.75 to $10

Simplex Typewriters are self-inking, self-spacing, have roller feed, a key for each letter, capital letters, comma and period. Three sizes, priced at $1, $2 and $3

"My Playmate" Dressed Dolls, 10 to 20 inches high, full jointed, with sewed wig, moving eyes, shoes and stockings; dresses of assorted materials and colors. Prices 25c to $1.50

Basement.

Decorative Linens for Gifts

In our Linen Department you can find lots of gifts that will prove acceptable to those who are keeping house. Instances:

Hand-scalloped Madeira Tea Napkins; size 14x14 inches. Value $6.00 a dozen; special price $3.00

Hand-scalloped Madeira Tea Napkins, with hand-embroidered corners; size 14x14 inches. The dozen $7.00 to $15.00

Hand-embroidered Pillowcases, in hemstitched and scalloped styles; size 22½x36 inches. The pair $2.00 to $7.50

Hand-embroidered Sheet and Pillowcase Sets, either scalloped or hemstitched: 22½x36-inch Pillowcases and 72x108-inch or 90x108-inch Sheets. The set $15.50 to $25.00

Sheer Hand-embroidered Bedspreads, ranging in price from $20.00 to $30.00

Second Floor.

Ask for Copies of Two Beautiful Little Books Just Published Which Contain Gift Suggestions.

Smoking Jackets, Bath Robes, Etc

If in search of a gift for a man be sure to visit our Men's Clothing Department, which is located on the Second Floor, convenient to the elevators and stairs from our Men's Store on the First Floor.

In this department you will find a beautiful assortment of Men's Smoking Jackets in a wide variety of materials, colors and patterns. The prices of these range from $5.00 to $25.00

In the same department can be found a most complete line of Lounging and Blanket Robes, which range in price from $8.50 to $50.00

Special attention is called to a lot of Robes valued at $6.00 and $7.50 each that we are offering now at $3.95

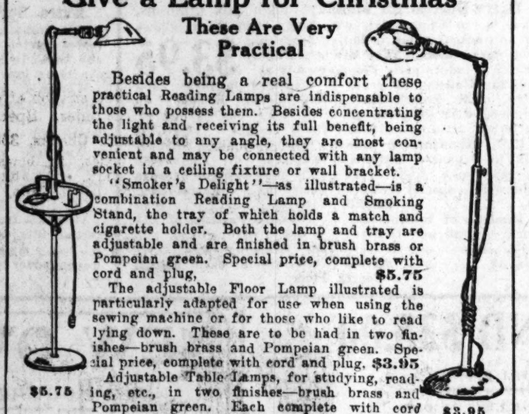
In the same department you will find a most comprehensive assortment of Fancy Vests of all kinds that range in price from $2.00 to $10.00

Second Floor.

We Are Agents for Huyler's Candies.

Give a Lamp for Christmas

These Are Very Practical



Besides being a real comfort these practical Reading Lamps are indispensable to those who possess them. Besides concentrating the light and receiving its full benefit, being adjustable to any angle, they are most convenient and may be connected with any lamp socket in a ceiling fixture or wall bracket.

"Smoker's Delight"—as illustrated—is a combination Reading Lamp and Smoking Stand, the tray of which holds a match and cigarette holder. Both the lamp and tray are adjustable and are finished in brush brass or Pompeian green. Special price, complete with cord and plug, $5.75

The adjustable Floor Lamp illustrated is particularly adapted for use when using the sewing machine or for those who like to read lying down. These are to be had in two finishes—brush brass and Pompeian green. Special price, complete with cord and plug, $3.95

Adjustable Table Lamps, for studying, reading, etc., in two finishes—brush brass and Pompeian green. Each complete with cord and plug; price $1.95 $3.95

Other practical Reading Lamps are priced up to $8.50

Fourth Floor.

Gloves Make an Ideal Gift for Men, Women and Children

There is no more popular Christmas gift than a pair of Gloves, and usually a person receives at least one pair. They are equally suitable for men, women and children. Our stock includes Fur Gloves, Fleece-lined Gloves, Wool Gloves and Kid Gloves, from the good, inexpensive qualities to the finest that can be purchased.

Women's Kid Gloves in wrist-length range in price from 85c to $2.25

Men's Kid Gloves range in price from $1.10 to $2.25

Women's Kid Gloves, in longer lengths range in price from $1.75 to $4.75

Children's Kid Gloves range in price from 85c to $1.50

If in doubt as to the size, shade or style of glove desired by the recipient give them a Glove Certificate, which is exchangeable for Gloves of their own selection.

First Floor.

Sterling Silver for Christmas

Many beautiful and useful gifts can be bought in the Silverware Section.

Sterling Silver Flower Baskets, in new designs $2.50 to $100

Sterling Silver Compotes, with new piercings $8.25 to $11.00

Sterling Silver Cheese Dishes $6.25 to $13.00

Sterling Silver Sandwich Trays $13.00 to $18.00

First Floor.

Sale of 5000 Pieces of Cut Glass at Savings of ¼ to ½

After having completed the most elaborate preparations for a holiday stock of Cut Glass we secured all that remained from the stock of one of America's greatest cut glass factories at savings of a quarter to a half. There are more than 5000 pieces in all, among which will be found some of the most beautiful productions of the year. The designs are new and all articles offered are just what one would select for Christmas giving.

In order to dispose of this immense purchase quickly and without interfering with our regular holiday business, we will place the entire special purchase on sale at reductions that in many instances are just half of their actual value.

In this sale you can purchase a 6-inch Nappy valued at $1.50—in three beautiful designs—for 65c, or a magnificent Punch Bowl valued at $85.00, for $42.50.

Cut-Glass Spoon Trays, valued at $1.50 to $5.00; sale prices 75c to $2.50

Bonbon Dishes, valued at $2.50; sale price $1.25

Sugar and Cream Sets, valued at $5.00 to $10.00; sale prices $3.75 to $5.00

Cut Glass Bowls, in 8 and 9 inch sizes, valued at $2.50 to $9; sale prices $1.75 to $4.50

Cut Glass Ice Cream Trays, valued at $5.00 to $15.00; sale prices $2.50 to $10.00

9-in. Cut Glass Compotes, valued at $3.75; sale price $2.75

Cut Glass Water Pitchers, valued at $3.00 to $10.00; sale prices $1.95 to $6.00

Cut Glass Water Sets, consisting of Pitcher, six Glasses and Beveled Mirror Plateau; values $6.00 to $20.00; sale prices $2.95 to $15.00

Cut Glass Fern Dishes, valued at $5.00 to $7.00; sale prices $3.75 to $4.25

Cut Glass Wine and Whiskey Bottles, valued at $5.00 to $10; sale prices $3.50 to $5.00

Cut-Glass Mayonnaise Sets, valued at $3.00; sale price $1.95

Cut Glass Vases, in floral and geometrical designs 8 to 16 inches high; values $1.50 to $5.00; sale prices $1.00 to $15.00

Cut Glass Tumblers, valued at $10.00 and $12.00 a dozen; sale price, each 50c

Cut Glass Perfume Bottles, valued at $1.50 to $5.00; sale prices 95c to $2.50

Cut Glass Puff Boxes, valued at $2.00 and $3.50 each; sale prices $1.50 and $2.50

Fourth Floor.

Dress Skirts Made to Measure for $1.00

Another of Those Sensational Events

We have had so many requests from our patrons who have asked that we hold another of our popular Skirts-to-Order Sales that we have decided to inaugurate one beginning tomorrow morning.

We have ready in the Dress Goods Department six up-to-date new models from which choice can be made.

We will make a skirt to your measure for $1.00, providing you purchase the material in our Black or Colored Dress Goods Department at $1.00 a yard or more. These skirts are made by expert tailors and thorough satisfaction is guaranteed and delivery will be made when promised. The average time will be about fifteen days from the date your measure is taken.

As this offer is made for a limited time only, we advise you to supply your needs at once.

Second Floor.

Fancy Pillowcases and Bed Sets for Christmas

Hemstitched and Embroidered Pillowcases in very neat designs and nicely boxed; size 45x36 inches. The pair $1.00

Scalloped and Initialed Pillowcases, with Old English letter; size 45x36 inches; boxed. The pair $1.00

Scalloped Pillowcases, very elaborately embroidered and in size 45x36 inches; choice of six patterns; boxed, the pair $1.00

Hemstitched and Embroidered Initialed Bed Sets, consisting of one 90x99-inch sheet and two 45x36-inch pillowcases. The set $4.00

Second Floor.

Gift Hints in Housefurnishings

That Will Be of Interest to Many



In the Housefurnishing Department you will find scores of articles of a practical nature that are just the thing for Christmas gifts. These are but a few of them.

Chafing Dishes in many styles and finishes, priced at $5.00 to $25.00

Coffee Machines with alcohol burners are ideal for making coffee at the dining table. Prices $5.00 to $12.50

Casseroles in neat designs with nickel-plated copper mountings and Guernsey insets. Prices $2.25 to $5.00

Coffee Percolators in copper, nickel-plated and aluminum finishes and in various designs. Prices $2.50 to $5.00

Crumb Sets in several designs; brass, copper or nickel-plated finish, priced at $1.25 to $2.50

A most extensive showing of imported Coasters and Trays at very moderate prices.

Trays $1.25 to $3.75

Coasters 10c to 25c

Electric Toasters in all the good makes; the most practical article for making toast. Prices $4.00, $5.00 and $6.00

Electric Coffee Percolators make coffee easier and quicker than by any other method. Prices $6.25 to $15.00

Basement

Women's Slippers for Christmas

In a Splendid Selection of Styles

Slippers always play a prominent part in the many gift lists and our stock is of such wide variety that all needs can be supplied.

Women's Felt "Comfy" Slippers with heavily padded soles; pink, blue, red, lavender and black. The pair $1.50

Women's Felt "Comfy de Luxe" Slippers in pink, rose, lavender, red and blue with fancy ribbon trimming. The pair $1.75

Women's Felt Juliets in red and black, trimmed with fur. The pair $1.50

Women's Felt Juliets in red and black with ribbon trimming. The pair $1.75

Misses' and Children's Felt Slippers. The pair, 85c to $1.25

Women's Velvet Carriage Boots with quilted lining and fur trimming. The pair $5 and $6

Women's Black Kid Motor Boots lined with fine lamb's wool and trimmed with fur. The pair $8.00

Fancy Evening Slippers may be had in beaded kid and satin, bronze kid and satin, in any shade. Prices $3.50 to $15.00

Slipper Ornaments of rhinestones, brilliants and chiffon. The pair 50c to $25.00

Second Floor.

Christmas Cards, Seals, Cords, Etc. Should Be Purchased Now

Our offerings of Personal Christmas Cards and Calendars, Christmas Seals, Tinsels, Cords and fixings are more elaborate this year than ever before because of the increased space at our command. It is not a bit too soon to make your selection of these for Christmas, as the experience of former seasons shows that the best things always go first.

New domestic and foreign papers in dainty tinted or holiday boxes are shown in many different kinds, including the beautiful and up-to-date Linear Paper, as well as the best products of Hurd, Crane and Whiting.

First Floor.

Live Santa Claus in Toytown (Fifth Floor) | Christmas Sale Nemo Corsets, Monday Morning Papers | WEATHER—Official forecast—Probably rain; colder. | Free Bus to McKinley and Union Stations | Smallest Pony in the World—Toytown (Fifth Floor)

Real Christmas Buying Will Begin Tomorrow at Your Christmas Store!

For Then the Christmas Store Will Throw Open Its Doors to Bid You a Hearty Reception, and Introduce to You



The Greatest Christmas Stocks

Which This Store Has Ever Presented.

Our buying staff visited every nook and corner of the globe in the gathering of this, the most comprehensive stock of gift goods which we believe a St. Louis store has ever presented.

Come tomorrow prepared to do your Christmas shopping early. **We will store all purchases when a cash deposit of 25% is made, and our charge patrons may have the benefit of this storage service without any deposit.**

Innovation!

On the Balcony over the grand stairway (Main Floor) we have established a patron's

Guide Bureau

Here also will be found free telephones to be used by patrons who desire to phone home regarding purchases.

Patrons may leave orders at the Guide Bureau for merchandise in any part of the store, and the packages will be sent out "special" the same day.

Cut Glass Sale At $2.48

A rich and varied assortment of beautiful Cut Glass for early Christmas shoppers.

Included are 10 and 12-inch beautiful Vases, Celery Trays, 8 and 9-inch Bowls, Plateaux, sets of six Tumblers, 9-inch Nappies, Jugs, Compotes, Fern Dishes, Cologne Bottles, Mayonnaise Sets, Ice Tubs, Chain Sets for table decorations, Puff Boxes, and many other pieces of Cut Glass too numerous to mention.

Regular $3, $3.50 and $4 values, specially priced, Monday, **$2.48**

(Fifth Floor.)

Purchase of $12,750 Stock of Fine American and Foreign Oil Paintings

From the Celebrated Art Galleries of

"LEVY," New York, London, Paris, Berlin



Probably as important a sale of Oil Paintings as we have held in two years, will take place in the Art Galleries tomorrow.

We succeeded in making an excellent capture of several hundred splendid Oil Paintings (unframed).

We have placed these in special frames which were designed for the individual paintings, and the frames are finished in gold leaf, Roman gold, karat gold and gold leaf burnish. The sale coming just a few weeks before Christmas, will help solve the perplexity of many a person at this time.

Many of the subjects have been executed by artists of world repute. The collection includes charming landscapes, beautiful marines, animal subjects, spirited figure pieces, English and Dutch interiors and many other desirable subjects.

The following is a partial list of the numerous Oil Paintings which are offered in this sale.

Subject	Artist's Name.	Art Dealers' Value.	Sale Price.
Mother's Love	F. Van Oleg	$450	$235
A Quaint Street in Holland	G. A. Aldrich	$225	$149
Courting	R. Chabeau	$165	$42
Bay of Naples	O. Cornelian	$225	$110
Winter in Holland	Einar From	$175	$85
Indian Summer	Gustave Wiegand	$500	$275
An English Tavern	R. S. Forsythe	$135	$60
The Trump Card	P. Gentile	$95	$39
English Landscape	J. C. Carroll	$75	$17.50
Heavy Sea	A. B. Johnson	$65	$22.50

Subject	Artist's Name.	Art Dealers' Value.	Sale Price.
Holland Landscape	J. H. Wysmuller	$1500	$460
A Quiet Pasture	A. Fried	$45	$17.50
Dutch Fisherman	A. Indyk	$200	$24
Poppy Field in France	E. Damoye	$500	$175
An English Cart	Tom Mostyn	$750	$275
English Interior	K. Munser	$95	$39.50
Falling Leaves	G. A. Aldrich	$275	$125
Fishing Boats	Einar From	$750	$87.50
Sunset	H. Lever	$30	$14.50
The Youthful Cornetist	S. Dedell	$55	$25

Also Three Special Groups—

A lot of 200 Oil Paintings for which art dealers would ask from $9 to $12—choice, $6.25

Another collection of beautiful Landscapes which formerly were priced $15 to $18—now $8.75

A third group of about 90 Oil Paintings, regularly $22 to $30—at $12.50

Very Special—

The Painting entitled "The Wine Glass," by A. J. Davis, an English artist, is included in a special collection of about 100 Paintings, which usually sell from $75 to $125, choice, $35

(Fourth Floor.)

SEE today's Globe-Democrat or Republic for the greatest purchase and sale of Women's

Coats

Which has ever been made by a St. Louis concern.

This sale is of such stupendous proportions (the purchase involved 3000 Coats) that it will take place on the Third Floor and in the Basement.

Read details without fail.

Buy Theater Tickets

at our Public Service Bureau, and if you desire, have them charged to your store account. This week:

Olympic—The Governor's Lady.
Shubert—Sothern & Marlowe.
American—One Day.
Columbia—Vaudeville.

$7 to $8.50 Lace Curtains, Pair, $5

Beautiful Irish Point, handmade Arabian, Beige Point Milan, French novelty scrim Lace Curtains, in good patterns.

Scrim Curtains, $2.50 Pair

In a good selection of dainty designs, and come in cream and Arabian color. Exceptional values.

Curtain Madras, 45c Pair

25 pieces of imported Scotch Madras, in soft cream color and floral and conventional designs—45 to 50-inch width—75c kind.

Cretonne Remnants Less Than ½ Price

Thousands of remnants of imported and domestic Cretonnes, in lengths suitable for making fancy bags, box coverings, etc.—qualities, if sold from the full piece, would be worth from 25c to $1—in this sale, special at 15c to 35c

(Fourth Floor.)

50c Nightshirts, 29c

Men's white cambric Nightshirts—plain or fancy trimmed—special for Monday, 29c

(Main Floor.)

50c Cotton Voiles, 10c

Made of snow-white cotton, with neat, woven blue stripes, for waists, dresses and children's wear—45 inches wide. A limited quantity to each customer—no mail or phone orders—at 10c yard

(Second Floor.)

Pattern Tablecloths, $2

Made of very fine bleached all-linen double satin damask—in new patterns. Extra large size, 2½x3 yards. A limit of one to a buyer—no mail or phone orders—regular $7 Tablecloths—at, each, $2

(Second Floor.)

Waist Patterns, $1

Real hand-embroidered Shirt Waist Patterns, containing enough material for an entire waist—regular prices $2 and $2.50.

(Main Floor.)

$5 Serge Dresses, $2.98

Women's Tailored Dresses, of good quality serge—choice of several late styles and all sizes.

(Basement.)

$1.50 Poplins, $1.19

Fast black silk-and-wool Poplins, of rich, round, plump cords, so fashionable now—42 inches wide. One pattern to buyer.

(Second Floor.)

$1 Coaster Sets, 69c

Consisting of 10-inch imported tile center, with pierced metal band, nickel plated, and six small Coasters to match. Only 200 sets.

(Fifth Floor.)

75c Mirrors at 50c

European Bonnet Mirrors, in the popular white ivory finish. Large-size oval glass and long handle. While a lot of 300 lasts, each, 50c

(Main Floor.)

Curtain Scrims, 15c Yd.

Come in striped designs—also plain Curtain Voiles, of extra fine quality. Usually 25c and 30c.

(Fourth Floor.)

$3 Sweaters, $1.50

Misses' Sweaters of soft zephyr wool—plain and fancy weave—Byron and ruff neck styles, and with two pockets—white, red and Oxford—sizes 10 to 18 years—samples of $3 qualities, $1.50

(Second Floor.)



An Early Christmas Sale of

3000 Sample Pieces of Fine Leather Goods

A New York manufacturer's entire sample line, also his surplus stock, secured at about half the usual price. These will be placed on sale Monday in this early December sale of Christmas Leather Goods at proportionate savings.

$2.98 Hand Bags, $1.69

Real seal, goat seal and pin morocco Hand Bags, in 8 to 10-inch frames, of German silver or self covered. All have extra change purse. Some leather lined, others silk lined—strap handles—also silk moire Oval Bags, with silk strap handles. **$1.69**

$3.50 to $5 Bags, $2.69

Real seal Hand Bags, silk moire, goat seal and pin morocco Hand Bags. Come in envelope and fancy avenue styles, with leather-covered or metal frames. Coin purse inside, some with hidden flap pocket. Lined with silk, or tan or black leather—Choice **$2.69**

$7.50 to $10 Bags, $5

Flirting Bags, of silk moire, and with large mirror—the Pannier Bag, with single handle and the Watch Bag (with watch in front). Bags made of pin seal, silk moire, real seal and other fancy leather. Regular $7.50 to $10 qualities. Special, each, **$5**

1500 Pieces Imported Leather Novelties

Samples—at ⅓ to ½ Regular Prices

Jewel Boxes, Traveling Rolls, Tie Holders, Handkerchief Holders, Fin Boxes, Jewelry Boxes, Card Cases, Work Boxes, Picture Frames, Toilet Sets, Writing Folios, Collar Bags, Vanity Cases, Medicine Cases, Flask, and Leather Cases with bottle and many other pieces too numerous to mention.

Regular prices 50c to $12.50—sale prices, 39c to $7.50

(Main Floor.)

Annual First-Monday-in-December Sale of Xmas China and Bric-a-Brac at 95c



This year's First-Monday-in-December Sale's collection embraces over 500 pieces.

95c For China and Bric-a-Brac Articles Which Usually are $1.50 to $6.

The prettiest China and Bric-a-Brac we have ever had in these widely-talked-of 95c Sales is here for you to select. Included are:

Parian Marble Busts
Mettlach Beer Steins
15-Piece Salad Sets
Dresser Sets
Sugar and Cream Sets
Salad Bowls
Chocolate Pots
Nut Bowls
Italian Pottery Vases
Royal Doulton Ware
Dresden China Plates
Hot Cake Dishes
Antimony Flower Holders
Celery Sets
Mayonnaise and Plates
3-Piece Tea Sets
Individual Tea Services
Cheese Sets
Wall Plaques—17-in.
Oriental Teapots
Incense Burners
Hanging Fern Pots
Chop Dishes
Pudding Sets

And scores of other articles of this character, and all of them usually priced $1.50 to $6—offered for

Choice, Monday, at 95c

(Fifth Floor.)

Rugs—Carpets

All Specially Priced.

$25 and $27.50 Rugs, $18.75

Extra high-grade Axminster Rugs, in beautiful Oriental and floral designs—size 9x12 feet—each, $18.75

$35 Axminster Rugs, $27.50

Come in size 10 ft. 6 in. by 13 ft. 6 in., and are of extra good quality. Choice lot of designs and colorings—special, $27.50

$17.50 Rugs at $13.50

Seamless Brussels Rugs, of double extra grade—special at $13.50

$15 Bedroom Rugs, $12.50

Scotch Art and Aberdeen Rugs—double faced, in appropriate bedroom designs—special, $12.50

Axminster Rugs, $12.75

Seamless Axminster Rugs, in a variety of colorings and designs—size 6x9 feet—regularly $16.50—special, $12.75

Axminster Rugs, $15.75

A choice lot of designs, in Axminster Rugs, in size 8 ft. 3 in. by 10 ft. 6 in.—regular $22.50 quality—special Monday, $15.75

$1.10 Carpets, 90c Yard

Wilton Velvet Hall and Stair Carpets, in every wanted shade and desirable patterns—special, 90c yd.

90c Carpets, 75c Yard

Velvet Hall Carpets, in a score of very attractive designs and colorings, 75c yard

(Fourth Floor.)

Monday Specials in Needed Housewares



Baby Bassinets and Stand—strongly made of imported willow. Good size. Special Monday, $2.98 each

Ceiling Dusters—made of washable lamb's wool—have 6-ft. handles—usually 79c—at 59c

6-5-4 Black Lusta—for polishing gas grates, ranges and radiators—regularly 25c—at 19c

Keen Kleaner—splendid for cleaning and scouring. Usually 5c can—Monday, 3 cans for 10c

Hot-Water Plates—for children. Base holds hot water to keep the food warm—top is of porcelain, decorated with pretty figures. Made to sell for $2.50—special, 98c



Vacuum Washers

Just 300 Perfection Vacuum Clothes Washers to be used in the wash boiler—will clean anything from the daintiest lace to the heaviest overalls, without hand labor. No wheels or parts to get out of order. Regularly $2.50—special Monday, 69c



Coaster Sets—large, round tray and six coasters. Tile centers with delft blue decorations and nickel-plated rim—special, $1.50 set

Aluminum Double Boilers—seamless, 2-quart capacity. Can also be used separately as saucepans—usual $2.25 kind—at $1.45

Serving Trays—with mahogany-finished rim, bottom lined with tapestry, glass covered. Special Monday, each, $1



Superb Vacuum Carpet Cleaners—run like carpet sweepers. Every one guaranteed and a child could operate one. $4.95 usually—special, each, $3.45

Combination Stepladder and Chair—handy around the house—strongly made—regularly $1.39—special at $1.10

"Elite-Alum" Aluminum Teakettles—No. 8 size, with flat bottom—usually $3.50—just 200 to sell at $1.95 each

Aluminum Lipped Saucepans—seamless and sanitary—4-quart capacity—$1.15 kind—special, 59c

Casseroles—round style, frame of copper, in nickel-plated pierced design. Fireproof baking dish and cover. Usually $3.50—special, $1.95



(Fifth Floor.)

Monday's Basement Sales Are Crowd-Impelling!

Christmas Handkerchief Opening

The Basement Handkerchief Store is prepared to supply every gift need from the inexpensive to the moderate priced handkerchief.

Initial Hdkfs., 6 for 25c

Women's, of excellent quality cambric, with pretty wreaths surrounding block letters, put up six on card and neatly tied with ribbon—special, 6 for 25c

Initial Hdkfs., 6 for 50c

Men's, of splendid quality cambric, with large openwork block letter—six in pretty picture box, 50c

Emb. Handkerchiefs, 5c Ea.

Women's, of good quality cambric, plain and corded, with pretty embroidered design in corner—special at 5c each

Children's Handkerchiefs

Dainty plain white, colored border, embroidered corner and initialed Handkerchiefs for children. They come two and three in pretty box—special at 10c and 15c

Initial Hdkfs., 29c Box

Women's, of splendid quality cambric, fancy embroidered wreath surrounding initial. Come six in pretty picture box, 29c

Men's Hdkfs., 12½c Each

All-linen initial Handkerchiefs, full size, and large openwork block letter—75c for box of six, or, each, 12½c

(Basement.)

85c Hemstitched Mercerized Damask Tablecloths, Specially Priced, 59c

25c Jap Silks, 15c Yard

In solid colors, fancy weaves, dots and figured designs—2 to 10 yard lengths, 15c yard

12½c Shaker Flannels, 7½c

Heavy, 36-in. wide, soft fleeced Shaker Flannel, in cream—12½c quality—at 7½c yard

35c Eiderdowns, 19c Yard

All-wool Eiderdowns, in solid light blue and ripple finished—35c quality, 19c yard

Wool Blankets

Wool-mixed and all-wool gray, white and plaid Bed Blankets, slightly soiled, at savings of ⅓. Priced from $1.50 to $4.50 pair

$2 Bedspreads, $1.50

Five new designs of hemmed, crochet Bedspreads—extra size—90x96 inches—$2 kinds, $1.50

12½c Flennelettes, 7½c Yd.

Heavy, crepe finished, fleeced, Dress Flannelettes—regularly 12½c—special at 7½c yard

3 O'Clock Special—

Highly mercerized, corded **Dress Poplins**

In solid colors—25c quality, **15c Yd.**

(Basement.)



Final Disposition of

$3.50 to $5.00 Shoes

From Laughlin's and Regal Special Purchases

$1.69 Pair

Every pair of these splendid Shoes bears the trade-mark of the maker.

The Regal Shoes, although known as "Rejects" are practically perfect—many of them being discontinued styles and some styles of which there was a surplus of sizes. There will be found all this season's best styles, made over lasts in most demand. There are the Regal gunmetal, tan calf, vici kid, patent colt, brown, gray and black suede Shoes, in high and low effects. They come in button, lace and blucher styles. Choice of these regular $3.50 to $5 Shoes, at $1.69 pair

(Basement.)

$4 to $7 Tapestry Portieres, each $1.50

200 pairs of Tapestry and Armure Portieres, in greens, reds and browns, some with tapestry borders on both sides, others trimmed with neat Pecot edge. These are regular $4 to $7 qualities—special Monday, while the quantity lasts, each, $1.50

Lace Curtains, 79c Pr.

Just 500 pairs of Nottingham Lace Curtains, in white and Arabian color, made of splendid quality cotton yarn—regularly $1 and $1.25—special at 79c pair

$2.75 Lace Curtains, $1.69 Pr.

Only 350 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, in Battenberg, Cluny and Arabian designs, made of fine quality yarn—regularly $2.75 and $3 qualities—pair, $1.69

15c Curtain Swisses, 10c

50 pieces of pretty Curtain Swisses, in dainty designs and dots. Special at, 10c yard

Casement Cloth, 15c Yd.

Beautiful new casement cloths, in pretty designs and dainty color combinations. Special at 15c yd.

Curtain Madras, 19c Yd.

Imported Curtain Madras, in soft cream grounds, with conventional and Colonial designs. Special at 19c yard

(Basement.)

Basement Sale Knit Underwear at ⅓ to ½ Savings

Because of special New York purchases for which the backward season was responsible, we are enabled to offer values quite extraordinary in Knit Underwear for men, women and children.

Men's Underwear, 35c

Heavy, flat and medium weight ribbed cotton fleeced Shirts and Drawers, in gray and ecru—sizes up to 46—50c kind—special, three for $1, or, 35c each

Union Suits, 89c

Men's Winter weight Reis ribbed fleeced cotton Union Suits, close fitting, tailored neck and flap backs—$1.50 kind, 89c garment

Men's Underwear, 44c

Sanitary flat and elastic ribbed, fleeced Shirts and Drawers, in gray, ecru and Jaeger—sizes up to 46—regularly 75c—at 44c garment

Men's Underwear, 69c

Sample lot of wool, flannel and camel's hair Shirts and Drawers, in all colors and all sizes—$1 to $2 kinds, three for $2, or, 69c garment

Union Suits, 69c

Men's Reis ribbed medium weight Union Suits, in ecru—sizes up to 46—$1.25 kind—at 69c suit

Nightshirts, 49c

Of flannelette, with military and flat lay-down collars, in blue, pink and gray, with striped patterns—sizes 15 to 19—regularly 75c—at 49c

Union Suits, 95c

Women's natural gray wool Union Suits, with high silk taped neck, long sleeves and ankle length—regular and extra sizes—$2 kind, 95c

Women's Underwear, 79c

Of natural wool Shirts, high silk taped neck; Pants, ankle length. Regular and extra sizes—$1.25 kind—at 79c garment

Women's Underwear, 23c

Jersey ribbed fleeced Shirts and Pants, in regular and extra sizes. Come in white and ecru. Regularly 35c—special, 23c garment

(Basement.)

35c Gloves, 19c Pr.

A lot of about 200 dozen pairs of women's fine cashmerette Gloves with colored mercerized linings.

Come in all sizes, and in black, brown, navy and green.

Regular 35c quality—special for this sale Monday, at 19c pair

(Basement.)

$2.50 White Bearskin Coatings, $1.19

White Bearskin and Fur Coatings, in ripple and plain, also colored striped effects. 50 inches wide. Slightly soiled, but will launder. Special at $1.19 yard

50c Waffle Checks, 35c Yd.

Also plaids, in blues and greens, black and white—various size checks—36-in. width.

98c Satins, 59c Yard

Roman striped satins, in beautiful colors—24 inches wide—special tomorrow, 59c yard

(Basement.)



$7.98

For Choice of Over 500 Garments in the

Greatest Dress Sale

That has been announced for the Basement Garment Section in at least six months.

$10, $12.50, $15 and Even $20 New Fall Dresses at, $7.98

We know it is going to be the Basement's greatest Dress sale, because the greatest values in Dresses that we have offered in many months are in the lot, which is responsible for this sale.

The styles are indeed clever—bewilderingly so!

The Dresses embody the newest ideas of the leading makers and the best materials that we have seen in many seasons in Dresses at this price have been used, including crepe de chine, brocaded and plain crepes, in silk and wool, messalines, chiffon, silk poplins and sponges, wool crepes and velveteens in delightful shades of Copenhagen, pink, light blue, rose, taupe, black and navy, etc.

Many of them are trimmed very cleverly, some with marabou, others with embroidered and shadow lace bodices and overskirts. All sizes from 14 years to 44-inch bust measurement—at $7.98

Included are Dresses for all occasions, for street, afternoon and evening wear, and in all sizes from 14 years to 44-inch bust measurement. All at this special price of $7.98

(Basement.)

STIX, BAER & FULLER D. G. CO. GRAND-LEADER

Entire Block—Sixth, Washington, Seventh and Lucas

ADDRESSED TO WOMEN

IS YOURS A

Case of "Nerves?"

Hot flashes, dizziness, fainting spells, backache, headache, exhaustion, nervousness—all are symptoms of female disturbances and are not beyond relief.

—Dr.— Pierce's **Favorite Prescription**

is that of a famous physician unusually experienced in the treating of women's peculiar ailments. For forty years it has been recommended to suffering womankind. Thousands of women can bear witness to its beneficial qualities. Perhaps its aid is all that is required to restore to you perfect health and strength. Now is the time to act, write Dr. R. V. Pierce's, Buffalo.

I AM NOW CURED

Mrs. Domingo Rodgers, of San Francisco, Calif., writes: "I take pleasure in recommending your wonderful remedies, and wish to say in behalf of your 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery' that through their use I am now cured of the various troubles that a woman is heir to. These remedies cured me when others failed me, I therefore resolve to take no other. I thank you for your advice."

YOUR DRUGGIST CAN SUPPLY YOU IN LIQUID OR TABLET FORM



MRS. RODGERS

THREE WALL STREET FIRMS QUIT BUSINESS

November Was Dullest Month Since 1897 for the Stock Brokers.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Four stock exchange firms announced their dissolution today. The business of one will be continued by a reorganization of the partnership. The other concerns, it was said, will wind up their affairs premanently.

A large number of partnership dissolutions is expected at the end of the year. Dull times in Wall street have reduced the price of stock exchange seats from $90,000 to less than half that amount and have made it difficult for many stock brokers to earn a living. Trading in stocks for the month just ended was the smallest for any month since May, 1897. The total number of shares exchanged during November was 3,777,449.

CHICAGO WOMEN STAND FIRM IN EGG BOYCOTT

They Meet Dealers and Make Offer to Sit With Them in Board Meetings.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Across a table on which reposed a lonely but highly symbolic egg, the housewives of Chicago and the egg dealers, represented by a delegation from the Butter and Egg Bureau, met here today to discuss the boycott being conducted by the women.

The conference lasted two hours and there was no compromise. The boycott will continue. The wholesalers said that the high prices were due to an actual shortage and that the boycott might be a good thing for all concerned, as the abstemiousness of the boycotters would lighten the task of the dealers who haven't eggs enough to go round.

The women declared that the boycott would be pushed with vigor to enlist women throughout the country in addition to the 100,000 said to be in the ranks in Illinois.

"You ask for co-operation," said Mrs. Caroline E. Bley, president of the Clean Food Club and leader of the boycott. "Well, we would be glad to sit with you at meetings of the Butter and Egg Board."

To this there was no response.

John Mitchell, spokesman for the dealers, explained the shortage in eggs is due to the hot weather of last summer, which inflicted widespread crop damage. He said that there are not 500,000 cases of eggs in the big coolers in Chicago, whereas there was double that quantity in storage a year ago.

STEFANSSEN'S SCHOONER WRECKED IN ARCTIC ICE

Vessel Is Crushed to Bits and All Provisions and Scientific Instruments Lost.

NOME, Alaska, Nov. 29.—The power schooner Mary Sachs, one of the boats of Vilhjalmur Stefanssen's Canadian Arctic exploration expedition, has been wrecked in the ice off the Arctic coast of Alaska. News of the loss of the Mary Sachs was received here in a letter from Peter Bernard, captain of the vessel.

The ice crushed the vessel and all the provisions and scientific instruments aboard were lost. As nothing is said of any injury to the crew of three men on the Mary Sachs, it is believed all are safe, as they could easily make their way over the ice to shore, where they could obtain shelter with the natives.

No word was received concerning the Karluk and the Alaska.

The auxiliary boat Mary Sachs was purchased at Nome for use of the southern party of the Canadian expedition, which also has the power schooner Alaska. Dr. R. M. Anderson, commanding the southern party is aboard the Alaska, and Kenneth Chipman, the Canadian geologist, was placed in command of the Mary Sachs.

The southern party was to have made a scientific exploration of Victoria Land and Banks Land, while Stefanssen on the Karluck explored the unmapped region in Beaufort Sea.

MRS. WILLIAMS RESIGNS AS Y. W. C. A. PRESIDENT

She Sends Word That Ill Health Will Compel Her to Remain in Switzerland.

Mrs. David R. Williams, president of the St. Louis Young Women's Christian Association, has resigned because of ill health and her successor probably will be chosen at the annual meeting of the board of directors in January.

Mrs. Williams is in Switzerland with her two children, who have entered schools there.

Mrs. Williams was one of the leaders in the whirlwind campaign to raise $400,000 for a Y. W. C. A. building. The campaign netted the association almost $500,000, and the building on Locust street, near Fourteenth street, was erected at a cost of $250,000.

Two years ago Mrs. Williams underwent an operation. The ordeal, combined with previous overwork, impaired her health. She went to Montreau, Switzerland, with her children in July. Believing she could not direct the work of the association successfully from such a distance, she sent her resignation to the board. She has been president of the organization since 1905. When in St. Louis she lived at the Buckingham Hotel.

NEARLY $1,000,000,000 IN DIAMONDS IN U. S.

Year's Jewelry Importations Expected to Reach, $57,000,000, a Record Mark.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The country's jewelry bill for 1913 will approximate $57,000,000, according to statistics just published by the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce. This is more than 30 per cent in excess of the highest record previously established. The former record was $44,253,000 in 1906.

The Bureau declares that the value of all the diamonds in this country has reached the enormous sum of nearly $1,000,000,000. To this must be added the importations of other precious stones, the value of which is not estimated in the statistics.

Cut diamonds showed the greatest gains in recent years. For the first nine months of 1913 there were imported $22,500,000 in these gems, as against $18,000,000 last year. The total of all precious stones for the same period was $43,222,332, as against $32,250,000 last year.

Boston Teachers to Organize.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—A campaign to organize the school teachers of Boston into a union, "so that they may obtain higher salaries and better conditions," will be begun here, according to Miss Margaret Haley of Chicago, business representative of the Chicago Teachers' Federation, who is here to direct the work.

Omega Oil FOR Neuralgia

Soak a piece of flannel with Omega Oil, lay it over the aching nerves, cover with a piece of oiled silk and press tightly against the face with the hand. This treatment has brought nights of peaceful rest to people who have suffered agonies and is certainly worth trying. Trial bottle 10c.

DENIAL OFFERINGS TODAY

Markham Presbyterians to Hold "Chest of Joash" Services.

The annual "Chest of Joash" services of the Markham Memorial Presbyterian Church will be held today. The members of the congregation and Sunday-school will take their self-denial offerings to the church, and the money will be divided among the missionary and benevolent boards of the Presbyterian Church.

This special service was inaugurated 10 years ago by the Rev. John T. Faris of Philadelphia, who at that time was pastor of Markham Church. In the nine years since more than $1100 has been raised and expended in benevolent work in this manner by the congregation.

Why Should I Worry? I can get all my Christmas gifts on credit at Loftis Bros. & Co. The Old Reliable Diamond and Watch Credit House, 2d floor, 308 N. 6th st.

IF YOUR CHILD NEEDS A LAXATIVE GIVE IT DELICIOUS "SYRUP OF FIGS."

Every mother realizes that this is the children's ideal laxative and physic, because they love its pleasant taste and it never fails to effect a thorough "inside cleansing" without griping.

When your child is cross, irritable, feverish, or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember a good liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on each bottle.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs." Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other fig syrup with contempt.—ADV.

TRIPLE GOLD STAMPS MONDAY! At The Globe

THREE of These Cash Value Stamps Instead of One!



Overcoats & Suits for Less Than ½ Price

SALE OF UNION CLOTHING CO.'S STOCK



3.50 For Overcoats and Suits, worth double

5.75 For Overcoats and Suits, worth double

9.75 For Overcoats and Suits, worth double

The Overcoats consist of fancy Scotches, chinchillas, kerseys, etc.
The Suits of fancy cheviots, blue serges, fancy worsteds, etc.

1.50 For Boys' Overcoats and Suits, worth double.

2.95 For Boys' Overcoats and Suits, worth double. Chinchillas, Cheviots, Etc.

75c For Men's PANTS, worth double

19c For Boys' Knee Pants worth double

19c For Boys' Flannelette Waists, worth double



Ladies' Sample COATS

50c on the $

These are all sample Coats for ladies and misses, and comprise everything that is new and up-to-date—large shawl collars, satin lining, etc.—at these remarkable prices:

3.95 for $7 Coats
4.95 for $8 Coats
5.95 for $10 Coats
7.95 for 12.50 Coats
9.95 for $15 Coats
11.95 for $20 Coats
14.50 for $25 Coats
17.50 for $30 Coats

The Globe makes a specialty of Coats and Suits for large women.

FREE ALTERATIONS

TOY Specials For Monday

Tree Ornaments

Largest Assortment in the City, Beautifully Colored Glass Balls, at

1c to 10c





The Celebrated Schoenhut Piano

Mahogany Finish, 15 Keys and Music,

99c

BOY SCOUT DRUM

And Sticks, Slightly Soiled, 50c Drum for 15c





PULL TRAINS

Locomotive and Three Large Cars, Monday only 29c

Gray Wolf Fur Sets, Lined with very fine satin; trimmed with silk tassle..... 4.75

1.00 Men's Sweater Coats 25c

BETTER CLOTHES FOR LESS MONEY Globe ENTIRE HALF BLOCK 7TH AND FRANKLIN AVE.

Canvas Gloves and Gauntlets, 5c

We have no branch stores. Come to S. W. Cor. of Sixth & Washington Av. Look for the electric sign.

Gift Suggestions of Quality

At St. Louis' Most Popular Jewelry House

No matter how low the price every article is guaranteed to give entire satisfaction.



Genuine Cameo Brooch, solid gold, plain or engraved mounting; $10 value $8.50



Genuine Cameo La Valliere; hand engraved, solid gold; $18 value..... $10.00



14-karat gold-filled or enameled Bracelet—guaranteed movement—$12.50 value..... $7.50



Hand-engraved, 14-k., gold-front Locket; $7.50 value..... $3.75



Engraved German Silver Vanity; $7.50 value..... $3.75

Sterling Vanities..... $10.00 up



Gold front, engraved Tie Clasp—$2.50 value..... $1

In solid gold..... $2.50 up



Genuine Cameo Solid Gold Ring—$10.00 value..... $5.00



Genuine Cameo Scarf Pin — solid gold, $6.50 value..... $3.00

Our stock of fine diamonds is large and choice. We bought our diamonds before the recent advances caused by the new tariff and will save you from 15% to 40%. See our diamonds before buying.

WRITE FOR OUR CATALOG DE LUXE—IT'S FREE.

Be sure you come to the right place—S. W. Cor. 6th & Washington Av.

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S. W. Cor. 6th and Washington Av.

Open Evenings Until Christmas.

The Initiation Sale's Tremendous

FINAL WIND-UP

On Monday and Tuesday

The close of this Initiation Sale that is stirring St. Louis to the depths is Tuesday at 6:30 P. M. The sale is accomplishing its one object beyond all expectations—showing folks that INDEPENDENT low-rent and low-expense prices means big savings. With a greatly increased sales-force we can supply your demands these last two days. Quantities are limited and going fast. Be here early—we'll try to deliver your goods promptly. Note these items.

Here They Are! Independence Prices!

Initiation Prices on CARPETS, RUGS AND LINOLEUMS

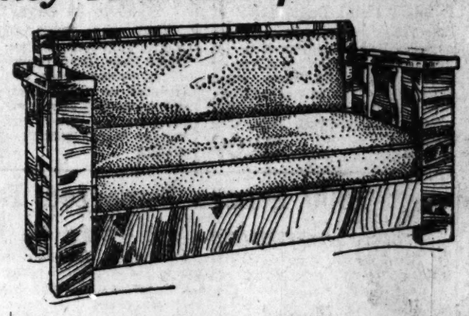
Brussels Rugs, room size; $15.00 values..... $7.90

9x15 Axminster Rugs; monopoly price $20; Initiation Sale Price, now..... $10.85

Velvet Rugs; room size, 9x12; variety of patterns; monopoly price, $21; Initiation Sale Price..... $11.90

$8 Vernis Martin Beds . . . $3.95

Only a few left; actual $8 values; heavily and substantially constructed; not over three to a customer; $6 values, $3.95.



Initiation Prices on MATTRESSES

Cotton-top Mattresses; heavy ticking; Initiation Price..... $1.95

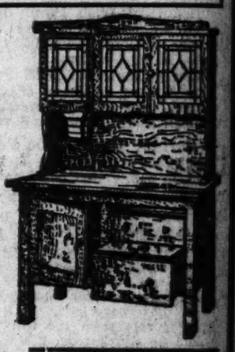
All-Cotton Mattresses; $6 values; Initiation Price..... $3.75

All-Felt Mattresses; monopoly price $10; Reliable Initiation Price..... $4.85

5000 Mattresses will be closed out below our own cost during this sale.

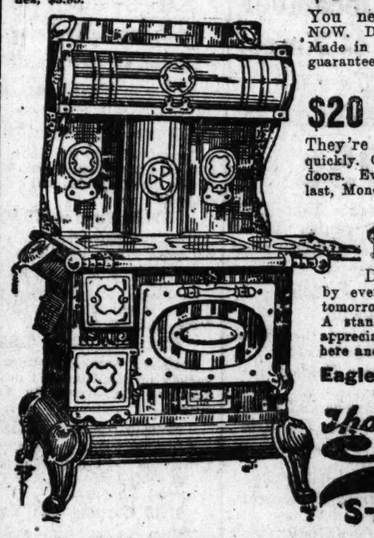
$35 Leather Davenette . $19.60

You need this genuine oak Davanette NOW. Don't wait or it will cost you $35 later. Made in any finish or leather; upholstered over guaranteed springs; now.....



$20 Kitchen Cabinets . $10.65

They're going by the dozens—get one quickly. Of oak, golden finish, with cottage glass doors. Every convenience—$20 value—while 129 last, Monday and Tuesday.....



$29.75 Ranges . . $16.75

Do you know the Ranges advertised by every store at $29.75? Come to Reliable tomorrow and have one sent home for $16.75. A standard make, perfect Range that you'll appreciate. Clear saving of $13.00. In fact, supply all your needs here and now.

Eagle Stamps. Cash or Credit.

The Reliable COMPLETE HOME FURNISHERS

S-E COR. 8TH & FRANKLIN AVE.

Home Outfits

May Be Bought at a Saving of

30% TO 50%

During the Initiation Sale. The chance of a lifetime for young couples. Come in tomorrow. Will store your goods until you're ready for them.

GREAT SPECIAL OFFER

We will send you a full quart of this fine old

HAYNER BOTTLED-IN-BOND WHISKEY

For Only 80 Cents—Express Charges Paid By Us.



This is a special introductory offer we are making to NEW customers only—and if YOU have never tried Hayner Whiskey—we want you to try it NOW.

We Want To *Show* You
We want to place some of our fine old whiskey before you so you may *know* how rich, pure and delicious it really is—and here's the greatest offer you ever heard of:

Send Us 80 Cents—That's All
And we will send you a full quart bottle of our fine old HAYNER PRIVATE STOCK BOTTLED-IN-BOND WHISKEY—in strong, sealed case—and we will pay the express charges.

Remember—It's Bottled-in-Bond
And every bottle sealed with the Government's official Green Stamp over the cork—your assurance that it is fully aged, full 100% proof and full measure—as good and pure as it is possible to produce.

A Wonderful Offer
No one else offers a BOTTLED-IN-BOND whiskey at our price of 80 cents a quart—no one else would pay the express charges on a *one* quart shipment as we are doing.

We Stand The Loss
Shipping one quart, express paid, means a loss to us—but we want your trade—and we know when you have tried this whiskey, you will be so pleased with it, that you will send us your future orders for four quarts or more.

Take Us Up
On this offer—order this whiskey—try it—use all you want—and if you don't find it all we claim—the *finest* you ever tasted and the *greatest* value you ever saw—we will return your money without a word.

You Take No Chances—
Our guarantee is fair and square—it means what it says—we *must* send you a quality that will please you in every way—and we will do it.

Now, Rush Your Order
Cut out this coupon—fill it in—and mail it to us with 80 cents in stamps, coin or money order—and the full quart of fine old BOTTLED-IN-BOND whiskey will go forward by first express.

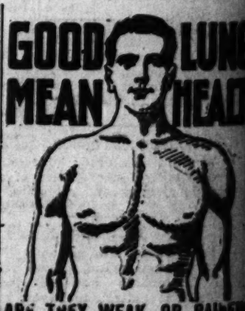
THE HAYNER DISTILLING COMPANY
Enclosed find 80 cents for which send me ONE full quart bottle of Hayner Private Stock Bottled-in-Bond Whiskey—express paid—as per your offer. It is understood that if this whiskey is not found as represented and pleasing to me in every way—my 80 cents is to be promptly refunded. This is my first order. D-1
Name.....
Address.....

Orders from Ariz., Wyo., Colo., Mont., and all states West thereof must call for $2.40 for one quart—express paid. 12-1

THE HAYNER DISTILLING CO., Department R-1

Distillery at Troy, Ohio. Address Our Nearest Office: Dayton, Ohio; Toledo, Ohio; St. Louis, Mo.; Kansas City, Kas.; Boston, Mass.; St. Paul, Minn.; New Orleans, La.; Jacksonville, Fla. Capital $500,000.00 Full Paid

GOOD LUNGS MEAN GOOD HEALTH



ARE THEY WEAK OR PAINFUL?

Do your lungs ever bleed?
Do you have night sweats?
Have you pains in chest and sides?
Do you spit yellow and green matter?
Do you occasionally have hard coughing?
Do you have pains under your shoulder blades?
THESE ARE REGARDED FIRST SYMPTOMS OF LUNG TROUBLE AND

TUBERCULOSIS

You should take immediate steps to check the progress of these symptoms. The longer you allow them to advance, the severer, the more deep-seated and serious your condition becomes.

We Stand Ready to Prove to You absolutely that Lung Germine, the Germ Treatment, has cured completely and permanently cases after cases of Chronic Bronchitis, Catarrh of the Lungs, Catarrh of the Bronchial Tubes and other Throat and Lung Troubles, that all Chronic Coughs and who had been given up by physicians have been permanently cured by Lung Germine. If your lungs are affected, and the disease has not yet manifested itself, you can prevent its development. You can build up your lungs and restore them to their normal strength and capacity. Lung Germine has cured advanced cases. Troubles and the patients remain cured and in splendid health today.

Let Us Send You the Proof—Proof that Will Convince You of Lung Germine's Merit

We will gladly send you the proof of these remarkable cures also a FREE TRIAL of Lung Germine, together with our new 32-page book (in colors) on the treatment and cure of Tuberculosis and Lung Troubles. JUST SEND YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS TO LUNG GERMINE CO., [illegible]

The Mind Expands When Health Returns

Quick Improvement is Noticeable When Proper Aid to Nutrition is Given.



LUCILE McBROOM

A low state of the general health is now the accepted cause of backwardness in children. So in the case of a backward child it is best to look towards building up its health. It will usually be found that the main trouble is in the food, in lack of assimilation and digestion. Hence care should be taken in the kind of food given to the child. This, with plenty of air and exercise, should bring about a change for the better.

Watch the condition of the bowels, to note if either a constipated or diarrhea condition prevails; give a small dose of that gentlest of all laxative-tonics, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Thousands of mothers will testify to the wonders it has wrought in the lives of their own children, and for that reason legions of families like those of Mrs. Daisy McBroom, Hillsboro, Ind., are never without it in the house. She is the mother of Lucile and has been using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for Lucile since she was 2. Mrs. McBroom says it saved Lucile's life. It is the standard family medicine in the McBroom home.

It is pleasant to the taste and so perfectly safe that it is given to infants, and yet is equally effective for grown people. All druggists sell it and the price is only 50 cents and $1 a bottle, the latter for families who need it regularly.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin has no equal as a cure for constipation, indigestion, biliousness, headaches, sour stomach, gas on the stomach, liver trouble and kindred complaints. It has so many advantages that those who once use it forever after discard cathartics, salts, pills and other coarse remedies, for they are seldom advisable and should never be given to children.

Families wishing to try a free sample bottle can obtain it postpaid by addressing Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 419 Washington street, Monticello, Ill. A postal card with your name and address on it will do.

NEW CITY RESCUE HOME IS TO BE DEDICATED TODAY

$400,000 Structure Supported by Many Pastors to Give First Aid to Unlucky.

First aid to the "down-and-out" is promised in the new $100,000 St. Louis City Rescue Mission, 913 Morgan street, which is to be dedicated by half a dozen prominent city pastors today. This structure is the "answer" to the canvass for $100,000, which agitated St. Louis for 10 days, May 1-11, 1912.

A fireproof, four-story and basement building is now finished, with coffee rooms, a dispensary and sick ward, dormitories for those out of a job to be occupied temporarily, fumigating rooms, libraries and inquiry rooms, and all accessories to the big auditorium in which the men are to meet for services every night and every noon.

The Rev. W. J. Williamson, pastor of the Third Baptist Church, will preach dedicatory sermon at 3 o'clock and the Rev. H. H. Gregg of the Washington and Compton Avenue Presbyterian Church will offer the dedicatory prayer.

Other clergymen assisting in parts of the service will be the Rev. S. H. Woodrow, Pilgrim Congregational Church; the Rev. James W. Lee, St. John's Southern Methodist Church, and the Rev. B. A. Abbott, Union Avenue Christian Church. The presiding officer will be George C. Howes, chairman of the board.

The City Mission was established in 1903 by Edward Card in the old Real Estate Exchange, Seventh street, between Pine and Chestnut. He is still at its helm.

Do Not hesitate because you haven't the cash. Buy your Christmas presents from Loftis Bros. & Co., 2d floor, 308 N. 6th st.

WIFE TO PAY HUSBAND IF SHE BREAKS VOW

Husband, Sued, Becomes Reconciled and Has Wife Sign Remarkable Contract.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Nov. 29.—William E. Penn, whose wife a few weeks ago sued for divorce, has become reconciled to her and caused her to sign a remarkable contract.

Mrs. Penn got an injunction to keep her husband away from the rooming house she conducted and when he violated it he was taken into court. He admitted in court he had been married before under another name, and was confronted with a letter he wrote to a Missouri widow telling what a fine man he was.

Mrs. Penn testified that, replying to a matrimonial advertisement, she went from her North Carolina home to meet Penn in Baltimore, taking with her an inheritance from her first husband. She married Penn a few minutes after meeting him in Baltimore. She said she did all the work in her rooming house and that her money purchased a nearby residence property.

The contract she has signed provides her husband is to have full possession of the rooming house and the residence property; that she is not to go on the street unless accompanied by her husband; not to go to the homes of two neighbors who are named; violation of her marriage vow or association with other men to cause Penn to receive $100 in cash for each violation of the contract; Penn to colect all rentals, providing he makes a complete report of receipts and expenditures.

HOLDUP FIRES 3 SHOTS IN VICTIM'S FACE; ALL MISS

Richard Goade Wondering if Face Is Bullet-Proof or Negro's Cartridges Blank.

Richard Goade of 4172 Castleman avenue, after a shooting experience with a negro highwayman Friday night, concluded he had a bullet-proof face or else the robber's revolver was loaded with blanks. The pistol was discharged three times in Goade's face, and although he was blinded by the smoke of the weapon, he was not even scratched by a bullet.

Goade was walking along Klemm avenue, near McRee, when the negro halted him, thrusting a revolver under his nose.

Goade struck the robber in the face. The latter fired and while Goade was beating him, fired twice more. Each time he held the pistol close to Goade's face.

Goade put the negro to flight and called on a surgeon and asked to have the robber's bullets extracted from his face. He was surprised when told he was not even wounded.

SHOEMAKER REFUSES TO PAY LICENSE; IS FINED

East St. Louisan Bases Stand on Contention Shoes "Are Not Wearing Apparel."

Ruby Rosin, a shoemaker of 1604 State street, East St. Louis, was fined $10 and costs by a jury in Justice Chandler's court Friday afternoon for refusing to pay a city license of $25.

Rosin's attorney asked for the dismissal of the warrant on the ground that shoes were not wearing apparel in the meaning of the law.

City Attorney Fekete cited a section of the ordinance under which repairing of any goods requires a city license.

John Griffin, City Clerk, on whose application Rosin was arrested, said he would ask for another warrant if Rosin continues in his refusal to pay. Adam Matin, a shoemaker of 7 South Fourth street, also refused to pay his license. His case will be tried in Justice Chandler's court Wednesday.

Chicagoan to Address Brotherhood.

The Rev. John T. Stone of Chicago will deliver an address Dec. 3 at an open meeting of the Men's Brotherhood at the First Presbyterian Church, Washington boulevard and Sarah street. An informal reception to Dr. Stone will be held after the meeting.

Double Eagle Stamps — Double Eagle Stamps



Monday Tuesday Wednesday — Monday Tuesday Wednesday

Buy your Xmas shoes now

To induce early Xmas shopping, we have made very special inducements for the early part of the week, and are going to give Double Eagle Stamps Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. This will enable you to fill your books for Xmas, while our stocks are complete.

Nullifiers — Ladies' felt; leather sole, fur-trimmed, black, red, gray, green and maroon; all sizes; regular $1.25 values at..... 98c

Colonials — Ladies' satin; cut steel buckles, Colonial Spanish heels, hand-turned soles; regular $3 value, now..... $1.69

Lambs' wool soles — Men's, 6 to 11..... 33c; Ladies', 3 to 7..... 23c

Extra special — Ladies' vici kid, patent tip, high or low heels, button and lace; regular $3 values..... $1.55

Silk hosiery — Ladies' 75c; black, tan, or white. 49c

Jockey Boots — Children's patent or gunmetal, with cuff and tassels, black or red tops, at $1.00, $1.20 and..... 98c

Crocheted slippers — For ladies; lamb wool soles. Come in red, pink, blue, black and gray; with ribbon ties; 75c values at..... 49c

Shoe brushes — Genuine bristles; 50c values, while 1000 last. 9c

Men's shoes — Men's patent lace, gunmetal and tan, button or lace, nobby toes, highest quality, all sizes and widths, $3.50 values now.... $2.38

Wool socks — 50c pure all wool, 33c; 35c half wool 23c

Men's slippers — In black and tan, $1.50 values..... 98c; Same style, cushion sole, $1.75 values.... $1.25; Nullifiers, in tan or black, $1.75 values... $1.25

Felt slippers — All felt, for men and women, all sizes, 75c values..... 49c; Same for misses and children, 50c values..... 39c

Williams Shoe Co.
"THE CORNER STORE"
SIXTH and FRANKLIN

A NEW MAN

George S. Scally of No. 74 Nassau st., New York, says: "For years I have been troubled with rheumatism and dyspepsia, and I came to the conclusion to try Radway's Pills, which immediately found great relief from their use. I feel like a new man since I commenced taking them, and would not now be without them. The drowsy, sleepy feeling I used to have has entirely disappeared, the dyspepsia has left me, and my rheumatism has gone entirely.

Radway's Pills

are recommended for disorders of the Stomach, Liver, Bowels, Kidneys, Bladder, Dizziness, Piles, CONSTIPATION, INDIGESTION, DYSPEPSIA. 25c A BOX, at DRUGGIST OR BY MAIL. RADWAY & CO., New York.

Maids, cooks, waitresses, governesses, sewing girls and other helpers in the home who are seeking employment read Post-Dispatch Wants. Your Want Ad must be there to reach them.

Famous for Her Hair

Actress Tells How She Grew It.

Madame Rose, the well known actress who played on one of the leading vaudeville circuits the past winter and who is especially noted for her long, beautiful hair, in a recent interview in Chicago; made the following statement: "Any lady or gentleman can promote the growth of their hair and make it soft and glossy with this simple recipe which they can mix at home. To a half pint of water add 1 oz. of bay rum, and a small box of Barbo Compound and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Apply to the scalp two or three times a week with the finger tips. This is not only the finest hair grower I have ever known, but it prevents the hair from falling out, removes dandruff and scalp humors, darkens streaked, faded gray hair and makes it soft and glossy. The ingredients can be purchased at any drug store at very little cost."—ADV.

Triple Security Trading Stamps

MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1st, 2d & 3d

Penny & Gentles — BROADWAY AND MORGAN ST

COATS AT HALF

Leading manufacturers' concessions to us mean one-half savings to you on these faultlessly tailored and fitting new style garments for misses and women.



$10 NEW STYLE COATS — 500 new boucles, black cloth, mixtures, in new styles for juniors, misses and women; exceptionally extra values at $6.98 and..... $5.00

$19.50 NEW STYLE COATS — Coats of matelasse, mixtures, black boucle, chinchillas, astrakhans, etc., for juniors, misses and women; great values in clever styles at $12.50 and..... $10.00

$35.00 NEW STYLE COATS — Our fine Ural lamb, plush, splendid mixtures, real poneyskin Coats with style, fit, quality and fullness will surely please you at $25.00, $22.50 and..... $19.50

JUST two years ago we started to give the valuable SECURITY TRADING STAMPS and now we are enthusiastic over the number of stamps we have given out and also the number of books that we redeemed. There are thousands of enthusiastic collectors of these stamps and we are going to give you an opportunity to fill your book by giving three stamps instead of the usual one on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, December 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

EXTRAORDINARY GLOVE SALE



$1.50 Ladies' English Walking Gloves; made of imported cape skin, one large clasp, wide prix seam; come in tan, white and black; very special for Monday $1.00

$1.00 Boy Scout and Rough Rider Gloves, with wide cuff; just the thing for boys and girls; Monday..... 50c

25c Children's Wool Golf Gloves; brown, red and gray; special (Basement)..... 10c

$1 Bedspreads for 50c

We bought Rice-Stix Dry Goods Co.'s Sample Bedspreads, 500 in the lot; hemmed, fringed and scalloped; ranging in price from $1.00 to $5.00 wholesale. They will be on sale Monday at just half price. $2.00 Bedspreads for $1.00; $1.50 Bedspreads for 75c; $1.00 Bedspreads for 50c

Penny & Gentles — BROADWAY AND MORGAN ST

Once a Year WALL PAPER SALE

THIS WONDERFUL SALE OF WALL PAPER COMES BUT ONCE A YEAR. It begins December 1st and lasts until January 1st, during which time we are going to close out all 1913 Wall Paper. We cannot spare the space here to explain all about it, and besides you must see in order to appreciate. OUR PRICES SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES.

Plain Papers, in all shades; 30 inches wide; sold only with cut out borders; Once-a-Year Sale Price, roll..... 5c

Dainty Silk Stripes; for bedrooms, with wide and narrow cut-out borders; Once-a-Year Sale Price, roll. 12½c

The big bargain for Monday will be the Figured Duplex and Oatmeal Papers, worth up to 75c roll; in all colors; Once-a-Year Sale Price..... 15c

10,000 ROLLS MOIRE CEILINGS; in all colors; roll..... 5c

EXTRA SPECIAL

25c Grade imported oatmeals; guaranteed not to fade. Once-a-Year Sale Price, only..... 15c

OTHER PAPERS ON SALE AT, PER ROLL
1c, 3c, 4½c, 6½c, 8c and 10c

WOMEN'S WHITE APRONS — Made of sheer India linon, finished with tucks and deep hem, also small Tea Aprons, trimmed with laces and pocket; quantities limited; 25c value; special at..... 8c

$5 Carpet Sweepers — The greatest bargain ever offered; made in mahogany, Circassian, bird's-eye, burl walnut and golden oak; fitted with the patented, adjustable brush for long, short or medium nap carpets; Monday..... $1.98

HAIR GOODS — Regular $3.50 and $3.00 Switches, 26-28 inches in length; good shades; fine quality of German cut hair; special, Monday only..... $1.98

$2.98 BLACK ASTRAKHAN CLOAKINGS — 54 inches wide, heavy, beautiful curly black astrakhans, so popular for the new coats and will cut to the best advantage, 2 to 2½ yards will cut coats selling around town at $15.00 to $20.00; Monday, special... $1.49

75c WINDOW SHADES — 1200 best quality duplex and oil opaque cloth Window Shades, 6 and 7 feet long, 36 and 38 inches wide; 75c value; Monday for. 29c

MEN'S AND WOMEN'S SHOES, $1.95

Regular $3, $3.50 and $4 Grades



$1.95

Patent Leather Button Shoes, Dull Calf Button Shoes, Dull Calf Blucher Shoes, Tan Calf Button Shoes, Tan Calf Lace Shoes, Patent Leather Lace Shoes... AT $1.95 A PAIR

These are all new styles for Fall and Winter wear, and will compare favorably with Shoes sold elsewhere at $3 to $4. Our special price tomorrow, $1.95

Boys' and Girls' $1.50 durable School Shoes..... $1.00
Children's $1.25 Sample Shoes, all leathers..... 79c
Women's $1.50 House Slippers and Felt Juliets..... 99c
Women's warm-lined Shoes, tip or plain toes..... $1.25



Women's and Children's Hose

Women's 39c Silk Hose; fast black, seamless, Fiber Silk Stocking; double sole and toe, high spliced heel; deep lisle tops..... 22c

Women's 25c Hose; full seamless fast black Stockings, double heel and toe; elastic garter hem; 2 pairs 25c, or, pair..... 15c

Children's 25c Wool Hose; fine worsted yarn, fine rib, heavy weight, double heel and toe..... 18c

Men's 25c Wool Sox — Heavy or medium weight Cashmere Sox; black or natural color..... 19c

1000 Pairs of Blankets on Sale Monday at About Half Price



Woolnap Blankets, full size, in silver gray, with fancy borders; regular $2.25 value, on sale Monday, a pair..... $1.39

Wool-mixed Blankets, extra large size, good weight, soft finish; regular $3.50 value, on sale Monday, a pair..... $2.50

All-wool California Blankets; white, gray and fancy plaids; full size; steam shrunk; regular $5.00 value, on sale Monday, a pair..... $3.75

$2.00 Bed Comforts — Covered with silkoline, full size, tufted, filled with white cotton—$2.00 value—on sale Monday..... $1.25

$3.00 Bed Comforts — Covered with fine quality sateen, fancy stitched, filled with white cotton $3.00 value, on sale Monday..... $1.98

$25.00 Axminster Rugs 9x12 at $13.75

38 choice patterns of Hartford, Brussorah and Smith Kermanshah Axminster Rugs, size 9x12; made of very fine quality, close-woven Axminster; must close them out as we need the room for toys. Special Monday.....

$15.00 Velvet Rugs; size 9x12..... $10.95
$12.00 Brussels Rugs; size 9x12..... $8.75
$10.00 Crex Rugs; size 9x12..... $6.98
$8.00 Wool Fiber Rugs; size 9x12..... $4.98
$6.00 Fiber Rugs; size 6x9..... $2.98

85c Linoleum, 4 Yds. Wide, 39c — Comes 4 yards wide; a large assortment of mill-end remnants of hardwood, tile and floral patterns in lengths of 3, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20 and to 50 yds.; special Monday..... 39c

No Mail Orders Filled on Linoleums.



Silks and Dress Goods

December stocks of these popular weaves and fancies selling at positive reductions. Don't overlook an item in this sale.

$2.50 COAT AND SUIT PLUSHES — In brocaded effects; rich deep pile velvets with handsome designs, embossed in floral effects, so popular this season..... 98c

$2.25 BROCADED SATIN CHARMEUSE — 36 inches wide; extremely pretty floral effects, in sprays, buds, etc.; suitable for dresses, coats and fine coat linings..... $1.00

$1.00 Dress Serges of the purest all-wool yarns; every yard guaranteed and, remember, 50 inches wide; black, blue and brown; 11 a. m. till 12:30 (15 stamps)..... 58c

$8 Vernis Martin Beds Like Cut, $3.98



A special value in Vernis Martin or White Enamel Beds (like cut;) all sizes, Monday, $3.98

$7.00 Felt Mattress; comes all sizes; full 45-lb. weight; covered in very good ticking—special..... $3.98
$4.00 Cotton Top Mattresses; all sizes..... $1.98
$1.50 Boot Boxes..... 98c
$3 Shirt Waist Boxes..... $1.98
$4 Roman Chairs; mahogany finish..... 98c
$12.00 Morris Chairs; sample line at $5.98, $6.98 and..... $7.98

59c Silk Crepe Brocades — 36 inches wide, double fold; beautiful Silk Warp Crepes with dainty brocaded buds; come in the leading shades for afternoon and evening wear; special (9 stamps with each yard)..... 39c

Plaids for Children's Wear — 36 to 40 inches wide, beautiful bright plaids with silk stripe effects, or the dark, handsome Scotch plaids and new honeycomb plaids; extra special, 50c 39c 25c

$1.35 Broadcloths — 52 inches wide; light weight, satin finish; so much in vogue this Fall, and a large range of the correct shades so much in demand..... 95c

OUR DECEMBER SALE OF HOME NEEDS—CHINA AND GAS GOODS—OFFERS THE BIGGEST BARGAINS IN YEARS

Special Sale of Japanese Ware

$1 Japanese Vases; various shapes, beautiful decorations; special sale price..... 59c
$3 Bon Japanese Cups and Saucers; hand painted Nippon china, set of six..... 49c
$1.25 Japanese Hand-Painted Spice Sets; tray, salt and pepper, toothpick holder and mustard pot; complete set..... 55c
$2 to $2.50 Japanese Vases; extra large; 15 in. tall; various pretty shapes and colors; special sale price..... 98c
$2.50 Japanese Salad Sets; large bowl with 6 saucers to match; special ...$1.39
$2.00 Japanese Chocolate Sets; large pot with 6 cups and 6 saucers to match; special, set $1.25



$2 Hand-Painted Dresser Sets (As illustrated), in beautiful hand-painted decorations; gold trimmed; 2 large bottles, large tray, pin tray, jewel box and puff box; come in green, blue and pink; extra special; set..... 98c

(No phone or C. O. D. orders filled.)

35c Gas Fixtures; 1-arm; brass or oxidized finish. Monday..... 19c
$1.25 Gas Fixtures; 1-arm; heavily made. Monday..... 49c
$2.50 Gas Fixtures; 3-arm; extra fancy pattern. Monday..... 98c
$5 Combination Gas and Electric Sun Fixtures; all wired, with sockets...$2.85

Lowest Prices on Domes

Gas or electric, made of best art glass—
25 Domes; various colors, with fringe..... $1.98
$12 Domes; large 12-in. 8-panel style..... $2.98
$15 Domes; large 14-in. small panel style..... $4.98
$17.50 Domes; 16-in.; with fancy tube fringe..... $5.98

16c and 18c Gas Mantles; inverted or upright (triple weave); all perfect; 10,000 on sale Monday. 5c

$1.25 Imported Frilled Globes; in green, amber and white; complete with burner and chimney. 49c

$2 Wash Tubs; galvanized iron; first quality. Monday..... 89c

$1.50 Wash Boilers; extra heavy with copper bottom and lid; special..... 89c

$2 Gas Heaters; oil cauldron heater for boiling kettle, etc.; special..... 89c

U. S. NAVY SHORT OF MEN; COULDN'T MAN ALL ITS SHIPS

Navigation Chief Would Have Congress Provide Redistribution of Various Officers.

BIG RESERVE IS URGED

Victor Blue Would Form Organization of Seamen Who Have Retired From Active Service.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The number of officers now in the navy is not sufficient to man all the fighting ships in event of a war with a foreign power, according to the annual report of Rear Admiral Victor Blue, chief of the Bureau of Navigation, made public today. He urges that Congress enact legislation providing for a gradual redistribution of officers in the various grades to obviate a condition that is growing worse.

Admiral Blue points out that there now are 1000 officers in grades of junior Lieutenant and ensign, as compared with 750 officers above these grades, and that at the present rate of promotion of 40 each year the junior ensign reaches the grade of Lieutenant at an age at which officers are now promoted to be Captain.

Letters Sent to High Schools.

Admiral Blue says a circular letter is being sent to the principals of high schools to ascertain if the examination for admission to the naval academy is such that the ordinary high school student should be capable of passing.

Members of Congress also are being aided in their selection of candidates by the naval medical officers who conduct unofficial examination of boys bearing letters signed by the members. In this way it is expected to detect physical defects before the regular academy examinations, affording opportunity for cure before the boy presents himself at Annapolis.

Recruiting for the Navy last year was unsatisfactory until June, when there was an unprecedented number of enlistments, in large part due to the approaching European cruise of the battleship fleet. The enrollment of a naval reserve is strongly urged. It is pointed out that the authorized peace strength of the navy of 51,500 men is far short of the number required to put into active commission all of the naval vessels.

Naval Reserve Suggested.

The main dependence of the Navy must be upon the men who have honorably left the service after one or two enlistments. Many thousands of them are now in civil life and should be enrolled in a national reserve and given a short period for drill upon shipboard at stated intervals.

There also should be included in the reserve ex-officers of the Navy, yachtsmen and officers and men of the merchant marine as well as those of seafaring occupations.

The bureau has already established an office of national reserve, which has obtained pledges from 3600 men to enroll if an organization is provided by Congress.

Stoecker & Price Stor. and Asc. Co. Auction Mons. and Thurs., 1923 Franklin.

EIGHT HOURS FOR NAVAL WORK IS APPROVED

Solicitor's Report Is That It Has Not Operated to Drive Away Bids on Contracts.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Predictions that under the eight-hour act of 1912 manufacturers and contractors would ignore the Navy Department's call for supplies and work and decline Government contracts, have not come true, according to Graham Egerton, Solicitor of the Navy Department.

In his annual report he says the act had somewhat increased "first cost" to the Government, but has not diminished competition nor increased the cost of maintenance. Moreover, the act has had a decided effect in the direction of making the eight-hour law workday more general, he believes.

About one-fifth of the $149,000 appropriated by Congress for the officers and crews of the old Wyoming and Jamestown for meritorious and perilous services in the destruction of hostile vessels in the straits of Shimonoseki, Japan, in 1863-64, remains unclaimed, probably because of the ignorance of the individuals entitled thereto.

Chas. W. Jacks, Opt. D., has Lefts Move & Co. 21 floor, 513 Olive st., and took out one of those speakers for her Christmas gift. Easy terms, you know.

DUCHESS IN GREEK GARB TO GO TO CHARITY BALL

Former Consuelo Vanderbilt Also Holds Sale as Means to Aid Wives of Prisoners.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—The Duchess of Marlborough, formerly Consuelo Vanderbilt, who opened a sale yesterday in Sunderland House to aid prisoners' wives, is now the busiest philanthropist in London.

For the last fortnight she has had public engagements every day, in addition to attending committees and making her own rounds among her charges.

Sunderland House has become a center of philanthropic undertakings, as was Grosvenor House for a generation under the late Duke of Westminster. But the Duchess still finds time to co-operate in organizing a great picture charity ball in Albert Hall next week, in which she will appear in Greek costume.

The Duchess of Marlborough bade farewell today at Euston Station to her brother, William K. Vanderbilt Jr., who departed by the Cunard special to board the Caronia at Liverpool. Vanderbilt said he had been in London and Paris on a month's vacation and is now returning to his work.

Bill to Cheapen Foodstuffs.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—An elaborate anti-high cost of living bill to not only resist cold storage of food but to penalize agreements for storage, pooling, division of territory, interference with competition or other restraint of trade in foodstuffs, was introduced today by Representative McKellar of Tennessee.

THE Keeley Treatment

For Liquor Drinking, Morphine and Other Narcotic, Drug-Using, Neurasthenia, Tobacco and Cigarette Addictions.

Home Treatment for Tobacco and Neurasthenia.

Address 2803 Locust St., St. Louis, Mo., or Lock Box 1022

Local and Long Distance Telephone, Beaumont 450

MILLION WORDS IN APPEAL OF CASH REGISTER COMPANY

Jail Sentences for Patterson and Other Officials Go to Higher Court.

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 29.—President John H. Patterson and 28 other officials or former officials of the National Cash Register Co. of Dayton, O., who were convicted last year of violating the criminal section of the Sherman anti-trust law, filed an appeal in the United States District Court of Appeals here today.

Despite the fact that the appeal is only a condensed resume of the case, it contained more than a million words and was written on 2089 pages. It is the most voluminous appeal ever presented to the local court.

The petition for the appeal alleges that in the trial 333 errors were made. In addition to the enormous record, hundreds of exhibits also were presented to the Court.

Patterson, found guilty in Judge Howard Hollister's court, was sentenced to one year in jail and a fine of $5000. His friends started a movement to obtain a pardon for him, but he said he desired no pardon, inasmuch as he had been guilty of no wrongdoing and preferred to obtain vindication in the courts. Lesser sentences were passed on the majority of the other 28 defendants at the time. Judge Hollister ruled out all matter pertaining to patents held by the National Cash Register Co., and this was the principal objection made in the application today.

How to Stop the Tobacco Habit Secretly

By a Specialist.

That the tobacco habit can be treated secretly at home at very little expense is the claim of a well-known specialist who has treated thousands of cases. In a recent interview, he made the following statement: "The cost of the drugs used to treat the tobacco habit in the high-priced sanitariums amounts to very little. Here is a simple, inexpensive prescription that can be given secretly in coffee, tea, milk, water or in the food, as it has no color, taste or smell: To 8 oz. of water add 20 grains of muriate of ammonia, a small box of Varlex Compound and 10 grains of pepsin. Put in coffee or food a teaspoonful three times a day. This prescription can be put up by any druggist, is perfectly harmless and will be found very effective, as it contains many of the drugs used in the sanitariums in the treatment of the tobacco habit in any form."—ADVERTISEMENT.

A Neglected Cold Often Affects the Lungs

Many serious cases of Throat or Lung Trouble can be directly traced to a cough or cold which has been neglected. If you notice that a cough persists in clinging to you take warning. If you neglect trying to stop this supposed trivial trouble the throat and lungs later become affected. In many cases Eckman's Alterative has been the means of bringing permanent relief. Investigate this case:

Saratoga, N. Y.

"Gentlemen: For five or six years I was troubled with cough and expectoration. I also had a high fever. My case was declared Lung Trouble by my physician. I was given Cod Liver Oil, Creosote and other medicines, all without benefit. At Christmas time, 1906, I was not expected to live. Calling Dr. R. H. McCarthy, he advised the use of Eckman's Alterative, which I took with excellent results. I have gained in weight, I go out in all weathers and have had no cough or cold whatever. I give these facts to encourage others to use Eckman's Alterative."

JAS. W. KANALY.

(Affidavit)

(Above abbreviated; more on request.)

Eckman's Alterative has been proven by many years' test to be most efficacious for severe Throat and Lung Affections, Bronchitis, Bronchial Asthma, Stubborn Colds and in upbuilding the system. Contains no narcotics, poisons or habit-forming drugs. Sold by Rabo-teau Drug Co., Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., Judge & Dolph Drug Co. and leading druggists. Write the Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa., for booklet telling of recoveries and additional evidence.

WOMAN FOUND AFTER 30 YEARS GETS $200,000

Attorney Discovers Heiress to Indiana Estate in Pittsburg After Search.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 29.—After a long search, George A. Gamble, an attorney of Logansport, Ind., announced here today that in the persons of Mrs Eugena Griffin of Pittsburg he had found the rightful successor to the $200,000 fortune of the late Isaac N. Crawford.

Crawford, who was Mrs. Griffin's father, left here more than 30 years ago and never saw the daughter to whom, in his will, he left the principal part of the fortune he accumulated after going to Logansport.

Mrs. Griffin was found by the attorney living at the home of an aunt. She never had heard of her father's business success.

A hand bag dropped while shopping can usually be recovered within a day or two through a Post-Dispatch want ad.

TAKE SALTS IF YOUR BACK HURTS SAYS DRUGS ONLY EXCITE THE KIDNEYS

Salts is absolutely harmless to flush your Kidneys and neutralize uric acid, thus ending all Bladder trouble.

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite and irritate the kidneys. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salts which removes the body's waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drink lots of water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder trouble.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this, also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache.—ADV.

The Sunday Post-Dispatch has over ONE-HALF MILLION more readers than any other newspaper west of the Mississippi. "First in Everything."

TRIPLE ARROW STAMPS

MONDAY—TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

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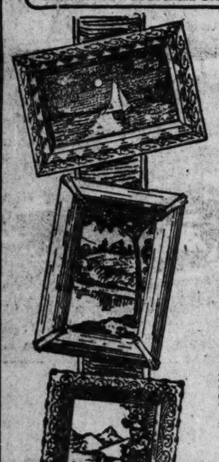


Refreshments Free
This Is Demonstration Week of Associated Mfrs. Campaign
At Buettner's. Everyone is invited to partake of hot coffee, hot cocoa, hot chocolate, hot soups, hot tea, biscuits and syrup, pork and beans, cereals, grape juice punch, milk, tuna fish salad, salmon salad, peanut butter sandwiches. Souvenirs for everyone.

THE merchandising sensation of 1913. Triple Arrow Stamps! Three instead of the usual One! The event that stamp collectors everywhere who have learned that Arrow Stamps yield GREATER returns on money spent have eagerly looked forward to and awaited. Beginning tomorrow and continuing for three days, Triple Arrow Stamps will be given for every dollar spent at Buettner's. A bookful is worth $2.50 cash or $3.00 merchandise. Fill three books now as quickly as you usually fill ONE. Young couples—everyone who has furniture to buy—Come! And don't forget that this is demonstration week. Refreshments FREE to all. Double Sales Certificates.

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Sale of 138 Imported
Oil Paintings



Each a Famous Masterpiece

Genuine, each bearing the artist's name; Paintings which, if they could be duplicated, would sell for $15 to $50; while these 138 last, to go for

$6.95

The frames alone are worth $8 to $10, being made in extra heavy, massive, artistic gilt effects. Pictures comprise every oil subject suitable for Christmas gifts — landscapes, forests, mountains, scenes of sea and sky, each exquisitely executed by master-hands, some of whom have produced works that sell for thousands of dollars.

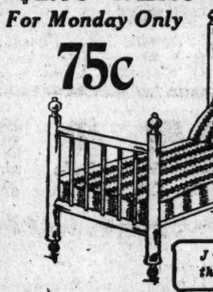
No reservations will be made and only three will be sold to a customer. If you expect to give pictures to any of the family or friends for Christmas, better come in the morning, the entire lot may be sold before Monday afternoon.

Only 3 to a Customer



For the Children's Christmas

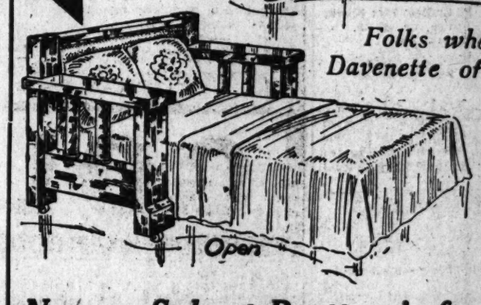
Monday Only
50c Hardwood Blackboard
Has beaded frame, natural finish; stands 37 inches high, 19 inches wide; 50c value, 19c. No phone orders, no mail orders, no C. O. D. orders.
19c



$1.50 White Doll Bed
For Monday Only
75c
Just like the picture

A splendid and appropriate little Christmas gift. Bed finished in white enamel; complete with mattress and pillows; special for Monday; $1.50 value..... 75c

$25,000 in Cash and Prizes for Saving Buettner's Sales Certificates. Ask about it.



Occupies smallest space when closed; is roomiest when opened.



Folks who will ever want a Davenette of any kind need the Duofold Bed. For the acme of comfort and convenience see this

$35 World-Renowned
Duofold Bed

Now on Sale at Buettner's for $22.50

This is the Duofold Bed that the whole city is talking about at this time. It is bringing comfort and contentment into thousands of homes. Made of rich golden oak, finely constructed and superbly finished. See it tomorrow; $35 value; now priced at.....

The Invincible
McDougall Cabinet

It's worth its weight in gold, but is priced at

$29.75

Save work, worry and hundreds of steps by getting a McDougall now. It is a kitchen in itself. A place for everything — everything in its place—within easy reach of your hands; $35 value, $29.75.

An Ideal Christmas Gift.



Buy it on the Club Plan.



Royal Push-Button Morris Chair . . . $12.75

Just as advertised in the Saturday Evening Post this week.

This comfortable Morris Chair spells R-E-S-T and R-E-L-A-X-A-T-I-O-N. Just push the button, adjust it to any angle. Finished in golden oak or mahogany, reversible morrocoline leather cushions, foot rest, etc.—$22.00 value for $12.75.

It Has Been Proven That at Buettner's Is the
Largest Stove and Range Dept.



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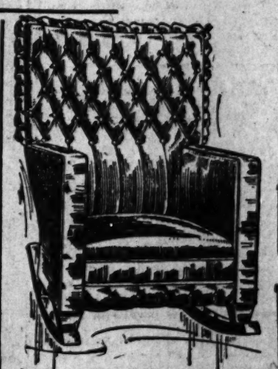
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Music and Matrimony.

FROM "Composers in Love and Marriage," by J. Cuthbert Hadden (Long), we gather that few musicians have been insensible to the grand passion; and this in spite of his chapter, "A Trio of Bachelors" (Handel, Schubert, Brahms), and of Beethoven and Chopin, of whose cases he also writes. But love and marriage are not, as we know, necessarily synonymous. Of Handel, Hadden quotes the writer who says that the only time on record when he took a woman into his arms was when the great vocalist Cuzzoni refused to sing an air of his in the way he wished it. "He seized her and, dragging her to a window, threatened to throw her out, thundering: 'I always knew you were a devil, but I will show you that I am Beelzebub, the prince of devils.'"

What Brahms Said of It.

WHEN tackled on the subject of marriage, Brahms would say: "It is my misfortune still to be unmarried, thank God!" "With marriage it is as with opera," he wrote to Dr. Widmann. "If I had already composed an opera, and, for all I care, seen it fail, I would certainly write another, but I can't make up my mind to a first opera or a first marriage." He was also afraid (as he himself confessed) to face a wife's eyes under any possible failure—"to be obliged to say to her, 'another failure,' that I could not have endured. * * * And if she should have attempted to console me—puh! I cannot bear the thought; what a hell that would have been for me!"

Fifty Yards on the Head.

THE curious miter-shaped headdress worn by women of quality in Spain during the Middle Ages is described in "The Queens of Aragon," by E. L. Miron (Stanley Paul). It consisted of an under-coif with pleated edges, covered by a second resembling a Phrygian or Catalan cap, the flat point falling over like that of a nightcap. These miters, supposed to be of Oriental origin, were introduced into Spain by Beatrice of Suabia, Queen of Ferdinand, the Saint of Castile. Very hot and heavy they must have been, considering that sometimes as much as 50 yards of material were used to make them. They were fastened under the chin by a ribbon or band. The same writer refers to the silver bed-ladders used for climbing into the high medieval beds.

Ibsen Woman Anticipated.

FRANCIS GRIBBLE gives us an exceedingly sprightly book in "The Court of Christina of Sweden." A delightful subject for gossip, this eccentric personage took her pet spaniel to church to play with during the prayers, and read Virgil during the long-winded Lutheran sermons to avert boredom.

"It is," says Gribble, "as the first conspicuous case of the neurosis of the North—that mysterious malady with which Ibsen's dramas have familiarized the modern world—that Christina's career arrests and enchains our interest." He also sees in her the type of "a Girton Girl on the throne." We are not quite sure how the Girtonians will take this, but we think they will be flattered by the comparison, for Christina was modern of the moderns in her sincere attempt "to live her own life."

Christina as Papist.

TO the Pope this independent Queen was anything but a model convert:

"He found that he had taken to his bosom a crowned dilettante—a woman singularly free of speech, who laughed at those who sought to protect her modesty by draping nude statues, who jested and talked during divine service, and who, as a final impropriety, was turning the heads of the Cardinals."

When His Holiness found it advisable to order Cardinal Colonna to leave Rome he marked the occasion by sending Christina a rosary with his compliments and a suggestion that she should tell her beads instead of disturbing public worship with frivolous conversation. With singular lack of tact she replied that she had not become a Catholic for the purpose of telling beads! Probably the only man in this interesting woman's life who really mattered was Azzolino, and he was with her when she died.

"Prove All Things."

IN "Eugene de Beauharnais," a delightful biography of "the adopted son of Napoleon," by Violette M. Montagu, we have this letter, dated from Fontainebleau, Oct. 1, 1807:

"My Son—The Empress is sending the vicereine of Italy a spray of hortensias in diamonds. I wish you, without letting the Princess know, to have it valued by some trustworthy jewelers; you must then let me hear what they value it at, so that I may know how much my jewelers are in the habit of cheating me." This is interesting as showing that Napoleon left nothing to chance. The hortensia, by the way, was then a novelty in France. It was named in honor of Eugene's sister, Hortense de Beauharnais.

Napoleon Leap-Frog Victim.

IN the same book is a story of Isabey, the miniature painter, who, like Eugene, was fond of practical jokes. It happened at La Malmaison. Isabey was sauntering along a dark corridor in the dusk when he saw a person whom he thought to be Eugene standing with his back towards him. Isabey was agile and had a fancy for leap-frog. Creeping softly up behind he gave one spring and landed upon the shoulders of the supposed Eugene.

"What is the meaning of this folly?" said the First Consul severely, as he flung his burden on the floor and stamped his foot.

"I thought it was Eugene," stammered the unhappy artist in confusion and horror.

"Well, and supposing it had been Eugene," retorted the victim, "does that fact excuse you for trying to break his neck?"

And he walked off with a frown of displeasure on his pale thin face.

"A Lapsed Female."

PHILIP W. SERGEANT has given us a book on "Mrs. Jordan," the actress, whose 20 years' liaison with the Duke of Clarence was so notorious. On one occasion the Duke went down to the House of Lords to plead against Lord Auckland's bill "to prevent anyone divorced for adultery marrying the other guilty party." He quoted with telling effect an old speech of a Bishop (who now supported the bill) on behalf of "the lapsed female"—"for whom the very possibility of repentance is almost cut off, unless it be such repentance as may be exercised by the terrified sinner in her last agonies, under the merciless pelting of the elements, of cold and hunger and a broken heart."

From the House of Lords the Duke returned to Bushey and to a "lapsed female," who, by a curious and cruel irony, was one day to perish, if not in the open streets, at least in a shabby foreign lodging—if not of hunger and cold, at least of a broken heart.

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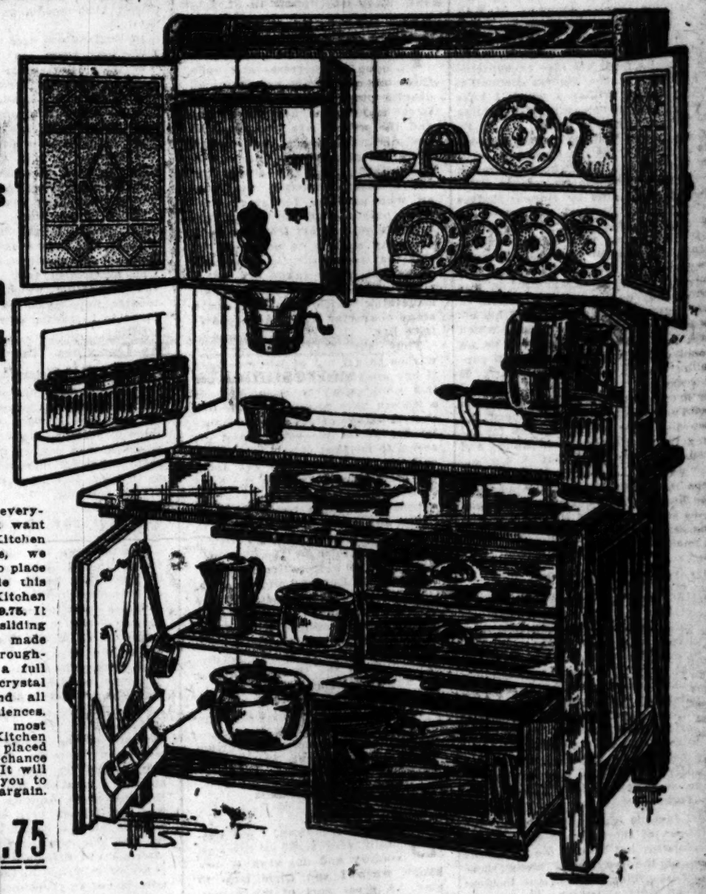
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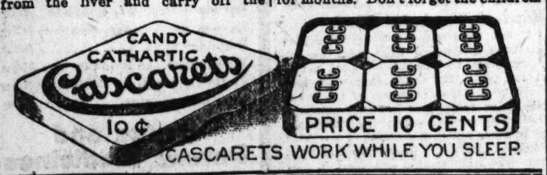
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OWING to my good fortune in being able to witness the American premiere performance of "Grumpy," by Cyril Maude, the famous English character-actor and comedian, supported by Margery Maude, his daughter, and his London company, at Wallack's Theater, this past week, I not only saw the present season's finest revelation of masterly playing in its own especial field, but also encountered an audience of the highest distinction in culture and brilliancy which I have thus far had the pleasure of beholding in a Metropolitan playhouse.

Historic old Wallack's was crowded to its capacity for the important occasion and the first American presentation of "Grumpy," a character-comedy melodrama in four acts by Horace Hodges and T. Wigney Percival, authors of the less commendable "Sunday," in which Ethel Barrymore was starred several seasons ago, was so deservedly successful that it has resulted in another extension of Maude's engagement in this city, already once extended because of this triumphs in earlier plays of his offering during his present visit, which was his first since he came here as an obscure and minor young actor in support of Daniel Bandmann, nearly 30 years ago.

At first sight this prolonged stay in New York would seem to imperil the chances of other American cities for enjoying the admirable art of Maude and his associate players, but I am assured by the Leibler Company, under whose management he is appearing, that Maude's entire American season will be lengthened and that St. Louis is to be included among the larger cities of the country where he is to be presented.

Must Draw Crowded Houses.

THIS is an expensive venture, as the cost of the American engagement calls for weekly box office receipts of not less than $10,000 if the managers are to escape a financial loss, but it is felt that there is a reasonable certainty of popular appreciation that will make the enterprise satisfying from a commercial as well as an artistic viewpoint, the latter being already an assured fact in so far as the American metropolis is concerned. Crowded houses undoubtedly will be the rule as long as Maude sees fit to play "Grumpy" in New York.

This fact is due not only to the worthiness of the star and his supoprting company, but also to the legitimate "grip" of the play itself along those lines of absorbing interest, the incident of clever crime-detection, the shrewd handling of frankly melodramatic material and the baffling uncertainty as to the story's outcome so beloved by the great mass of playgoers as a whole. The two authors of "Grumpy" have written an excellent play in the field of drama pure and simple, which means the telling of a strong human story in a vivid and virile manner.

In addition, they have topped this big achievement by a feat of characterization in the person of the play's central figure so far out of the ordinary as to be memorable indeed, lifting "Grumpy" far above mere melodrama and making it well worthy of the close and appreciative study of all who relish genuinely good work in play-making, the breathingly vital of all the arts. "Grumpy" easily may be presented successfully without the admirable interpretation which it receives at the hands of Maude and his company, but as played by that excellent star and organization, it becomes a dramatic delight so far out of the ordinary as to be peculiarly memorable and a never-failing delight in aftermath contemplation.

Fine Story Is Well Told.

THE story told by the play is simple, straightforward and reasonably plausible. Andrew Bullivant, nicknamed "Grumpy" by his petted and devoted granddaughter, is a retired King's Counsellor, long famous as a criminal lawyer of almost unerring instinct for the unmasking and punishing of great breakers of the law enacted for society's protection against crime. Now 80 years old, however, he seems merely a doddering old man, shuffling weakly far down the sunset side of life's climbing and descent, comically irascible and domineering at one moment, quaintly soft-hearted and lovable the next, always very, very old and worn, the last flickering ray, indeed, of what was once a splendidly luminous intellectual light.

He worships his granddaughter, Virginia, with something of a pathetic concentration of love, the girl being the soul of closest kinship to him in all the world of his age-lonely traveling. It is his secret hope, chuckled over at times when he is not nectoring his long-suffering valet, between whom and himself there exists in reality the warmest liking and understanding, that the girl eventually shall become the wife of Ernest Heron, his nephew and prime favorite, next to the granddaughter herself.

Late one night young Heron makes his appearance at "Grumpy's" country house, unexpectedly returning from South Africa, where he represents a great London firm heavily interested in the South African diamond mines. To "Grumpy" alone the young nephew confides the momentous secret that he bears on his person a virgin uncut diamond valued at £90,000 sterling ($450,000) for delivery to his London employers.

Thieves Are Not Fooled.

TO hoodwink and throw off the a certain gang of big criminals, who keep a close watch on the diamond mining industry and who already know of the finding of this splendid stone, its bogus duplicate also is on the way to London, under armed escort and with the fact of its having been thus dispatched craftily permitted to "leak," in the hope of misleading the organized diamond thieves.

This proves a vain hope and the expedient upon which it is based turns out to be futile. The thieves know that Ernest Heron is the bearer of the real stone. One of its members, Mr. Jarvis, a sort of society Raffles, but of far more sinister temper, is a guest at the week-end house party then being entertained by Virginia Bullivant. Jarvis, in order to tempt young Heron into visiting "Grumpy" for one night in his lover's eagerness to see Virginia, has sent a telegram to Heron, signed by the latter's firm, advising him that they expect his arrival in London on the following morning. Falling into the trap, it is this telegram which has brought young Heron to "Grumpy's" country house. And there in the dead of night, he is suddenly attacked in the black darkness, a desperate struggle ensues, he is beaten into insensibility and the great diamond is stolen from him.

Instantly, and thence forward until the mystery is solved, save at those moments when he feigns the physical and mental weakness of the dear old octogenarian, "Grumpy" is again his former self, the almost uncanny analyst of crime's methods, the amazingly intuitive expert in judgment as to the hidden meaning of little points and connecting links of evidence, the keen-scented sleuth who cannot be shaken off the trail of the criminal.

Grumpy Is Himself Again.

IT is here, when this formidable old man, once more and by a supreme exercise of his iron will in possession of his craftiest powers, begins and masterfully prosecutes his task of threading the maze that shall eventually lead to the recovery of the stolen diamond and the unmasking of young Heron's assailant robber, that the breathless interest of an audience is compelled and thereafter maintained to the story's finish.

A certain flower, a camelia around the stem of which Susan, the flirtatious but innocent Bullivant housemaid, has wrapped a hair from her own head when teased by Ernest Heron into placing it in his button hole, is the one and only clew that can aid in solving of the mystery of the diamond's loss. It is known that this flower was worn in his coat lapel by young Heron when attacked and robbed. A camelia is found gripped tightly in young Heron's hand when he is discovered unconscious on the floor of the Bullivant library. But it is not the camelia with the hair-wrapped stem. Then, in some accidental way, and during the course of the struggle between the two men, they must have made an exchange of flowers, the camelia with the hair-wrapped stem falling into the possession of the criminal, the latter being unaware of the exchange.

Suspicion at first has pointed to Keble, Jarvis' valet, as the assailant of young Heron, the motive being jealousy, due to Keble's love for Susan, the maid, and angry resentment of her coquetries with Heron. But now, suddenly, the tracing of the camelia begins to lead "Grumpy" in the direction of Jarvis, the real criminal. And thenceforward it becomes a battle of wits between the magnificent old lawyer and the great diamond thief as to which of the two shall find and gain possession of the camelia with the hanr-bound stem—Jarvis for the purpose of destroying it and "Grumpy" for the purpose of using it to convict Jarvis, beyond all doubt, of the crime of murderously assaulting and robbing Ernest Heron.

Exchanges Clew for Stone.

THIS battle of wits between dangerous old "Grumpy" and his evil antagonist is splendidly handled by the play's authors and splendidly played by Maude and Montague Love. It ends with the triumph of "Grumpy" by the cunningest of tricks. Then, chucklingly remembering that diamond thief Jarvis had just lost a "philopena" forfeit to Virginia Bullivant, old "Grumpy" audaciously cries "philopena" to the baffled criminal and receives the stolen diamond in sullen but enforced exchange for the camelia with the hair-wrapped stem. And "Grumpy" has so shaped things that when Jarvis emerges from the Bullivant country house he is promptly arrested by a representative of Scotland Yard for another serious crime.

Maude's Wonderful Work.

IT has been many a year since New York playgoers have seen so admirable an example of good acting at its best. Nor have they ever seen more marvelous exhibition of the possibilities of facial and bodily "make-up" than that confronted in the "Grumpy" of Maude's physical seeming, a wrinkled, sunken-mouthed, parchment-skinned, dim-eyed and wasted old man, a veritable expiring flame of human life in visual evidence. Wherefore, considering all these truths it is pleasant to remember how the first-night audience acclaimed this actor, compelling from him a delightfully humorous little curtain-speech and then acclaiming him until Wallack's rang again and again with long continued applause.

Miss Margery Maude, to whom her father alluded affectionately across the footlights in his curtain speech as "My little daughter," made a quite charming ingenue figure of the role of Virginia Bullivant. Others especially commendable for good work were Montague Love as Mr. Jarvis; John Harwood as Ruddock, "Grumpy's" valet; Lennox Pawle as Isaac Wolfe, a diamond-buying member of the criminal gang; Edward Combermere as Ernest Heron; Arthur Curtis as Keble, and Miss Maude Andrew as Susan, the maid.

Madge: You girls should tell us fellows what you want for Christmas, then we'll get it at Loftis Bros., the Diamonds-on-Credit House, 2d floor, 300 N. 6th st.

Actress' Social Standing Depends on Herself, Says Lady Forbes-Robertson

Home Life Always Advances Social Life, Whether in England or America—England Noted for Its Home Life.

By Lady Forbes-Robertson.

Who, in stage life, is Gertrude Elliott and who, with her husband, the famous English actor-knight, is touring the United States. It is to be Sir Johnston Forbes-Robertson's last professional visit to this country, but Lady Forbes-Robertson, who is a sister of the beautiful Maxine Elliott, who, like herself, has had a great social and professional success, will continue her theatrical career after her noted husband's retirement. They will appear in St. Louis later in the season.



LADY FORBES-ROBERTSON.

THE social life of an actress in England or America depends upon the actress—and upon the woman, who are not identical, despite prevailing public opinion. In the majority of cases the actress and the woman are two separate and distinct persons, and though there are players who play solely themselves upon the stage, the real actress is generally the woman who assumes for stage purposes only a character and a personality quite apart from her real, everyday self. I do not mean by this that personality is something to be put on or taken off, but, I mean that almost indescribable something which goes to make a stage character live and have definite life.

They say that whatever one wishes to get out of life, one gets if one goes after it; and I suppose this would apply to social life. If a woman likes society she will find that the stage offers plenty of outlet for social pleasures, and it seems to me that this is increasing each year. It is a far cry from the twentieth century to the days of Nell Gwynn and to the rank of actresses of those times held socially. In fact, is is amazing to think of what a gulf lies between the two periods in the development of the actress' social position, both in England and America. One could scarce imagine two greater extremes. In those days a woman who sought to find expression for her art in the theater was an outcast. In these days the woman finds the theater offering her the finest sort of an outlet to her ability. In fact, the theater is the one place where men and women meet on equal footing—not only as regards opportunities for exploiting talent, but from a financial standpoint as well.

What Home May Mean to an Actress.

BEING an American, I am naturally very proud of my own country and am always very happy when I can come here to play. A great part of my career, however, has been spent on the English stage and, having married an English actor, I have, consequently, seen much of English stage life—of the social as well as the home side. It is difficult to make comparisons. Indeed, it is almost impossible to do so. The very conditions of the stage in the two countries are, in many respects, so distinct and opposed that one cannot wisely rush headlong into generalizations.

In England one does not undertake such long tours as in America. Twelve to 14 weeks in the fall and, perhaps, an equal period on tour in the spring, with a London season following, is a fair example of an actress' life there. There are also numberless players who never leave London the year round, and naturally they can build up social ties.

In America the rush and bustle keep one so busy—there is so much to be done, so many places to go to, so many people to see—that the very breadth and largeness of life here limits social activity for the actress. One must also take into account the long tours which cover many months and which have no small share in narrowing down social possibilities.

She Describes "the Most Ideal Existence."

FROM a masculine point of view, I think my husband well expressed it when he said that there is no other place in the world where a man can be put up at so many delightful clubs in a single day as in New York. Can more be said of the splendid hospitality America pays its guests? And America has been more than kind to us in all sorts of ways.

It is the home life which advances social life and England is noted for its home life. In the hustle and go of American life, the home so often dwindles down to apartment or hotel existence—that is, particularly in the larger cities. As yet England knows but little of this way of living.

Of course, the most ideal sort of existence would be one in which artistic, social and family life could be so combined as to give each its proper and due relative values in the domestic scheme. To an actress this is scarcely possible, for work demands, and its demands must be obeyed. I must say that whether in England or in America we always find our friends very kindly make possible all the social life we can fit into our plans for work. So, after all, the difference between this phase of existence in the two countries is not so pronounced as would seem at first glance.

After my husband retires I expect to continue on the stage, but I shall probably only play occasional engagements, perhaps in London, perhaps in New York, possibly in both. My husband will devote himself to painting and we shall be able to be at home with our children. Perhaps then we shall have more opportunity to indulge in the social life.

E. H. SOTHERN AND JULIA MARLOWE HEAD WEEK'S PLAYS

Shakspearean Offerings and "If I Were King" Will Be Given at Shubert.

There will be no lack of variety in the plays offered in the local theaters this week. The repertoire will range from the lightest comedy to the heaviest dramas of Shakspeare. At the Shubert, Sothern and Marlowe will present seven of the Shakspearean plays and in addition will show a revival of "If I Were King." The "Governor's Lady" will be at the Olympic and "One Day" at the American. The vaudeville and picture houses have entertaining bills.

SHAKSPEARE. Shubert. The popular Shakspearean artists, E. H. Sothern and Miss Julia Marlowe, who have devoted themselves to this classic drama since 1904, will again appear in St. Louis, beginning Monday night. Mr. Sothern will also be seen, Wednesday night, in Justin H. McCarthy's romantic drama, "If I Were King." Their Shakspearean repertoire is as follows: Monday night, "Taming of the Shrew;" Tuesday night, "Romeo and Juliet;" Wednesday night, "Much Ado About Nothing;" Thursday night, "Twelfth Night;" Friday night, "The Merchant of Venice;" Saturday matinee, "As You Like It;" Saturday night, "Hamlet."

"THE GOVERNOR'S LADY." Olympic. This, the first play produced by David Belasco in conjunction with William Elliott, will be seen at the Olympic for one week commencing tonight. This is a story of a Colorado miner grown suddenly rich whose social and political ambitions are not shared by his wife. The play presents a serious problem in American life, and Catherine Proctor's brilliant character portrait of Mary Slade, the old-fashioned wife of the rich miner and prospective Governor, would in itself make the success of the piece, so it is reported. The exceptionally strong cast and the brilliant stage setting which Mr. Belasco has provided for this play make it one of the successes of the season.

VAUDEVILLE. Grand Opera House. The feature of the bill that will go on at 11 a. m. tomorrow at the Grand Opera House is Zira and her leopards, offering "A Night in Jungleland." Novel scenic effects are introduced. Doc White, famous pitcher of the White Sox, will sing ragtime, play classics on the violin and tell baseball yarns. Good acts fill out a long bill.

VAUDEVILLE. Hippodrome. The new bill at the Hippodrome tomorrow afternoon will have two headline acts and eight other attractions. The features are Jesse Lasky's musical comedy, "The Girls and the Jockeys," with 12 entertainers, and Samuel Libert and company in a musical playlet entitled "After the Wedding."

BURLESQUE—Standard. The Bowery Burlesquers in "The Plain Clothes Man" will be the week's attraction at the Standard.

BURLESQUE. Gayety. Charles Robinson and his Crusoe Girls will open at the Gayety at today's matinee.

AMERICAN. Commencing with the matinee today the American will offer as its attraction for the week Elinor Glyn's "One Day," as dramatized by Miss Cecil Spooner. The play deals with the love affair of Opal, a Western girl, played by Miss Faye Cusick, and Paul, Crown Prince of Sardalia, played by Victor Sutherland.

TRAVEL TALK. Odeon. E. M. Newman will give his travel talk on "Rome" at the Odeon Thursday evening. A feature will be a motion picture of the Pope walking in the garden of the Vatican.

LA SALLE. P. G. Lowrey's colored minstrels will hold the boards at the La Salle. The company includes a large number of singers, dancers, cakewalkers and comedians. There is an especially elaborate first part.

VAUDEVILLE. Columbia. Gus Edwards' Kid Kabaret will be the topliner at the Columbia, beginning tomorrow afternoon. A company of twenty youngsters, with Eddie Cantor and George Jessel at their head, present a musical melange that has its inception in the cabaret vogue. Vinie Daly is next in importance on the bill. William A. Brady's new one-act play, "The Naked Man," will have its premier.

PICTURES. New Grand Central. Beginning today the New Grand Central will present Henry E. Dixey in "Chelsea 7750." Shenandoah. A trip to the New York Zoological Gardens will be shown at the Shenandoah. The vaudeville will be headed by the Imperial Russian Quartette.

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Last summer she made a tour of Germany and Austria, playing with several of the great orchestras in those countries, among them the Berlin Philharmonic, and achieved a genuine triumph despite her extreme youth. Her father, Theodore Seydel, of the Boston Symphony, who is her manager, already has booked a tour of 40 engagements in Europe for next summer on the strength of her remarkable success of the past season.

Is Typical American Girl.

Miss Seydel is just past her twentieth birthday, and is in every respect save her musical talent a typical American girl. She is fond of outdoor sports and the normal amusements of girlhood, and though reared in a musical atmosphere is quite fond of the social side of life, and a favorite in her circle. She and the new "Swedish nightingale," Mme. Marie Sundelius, who created such a furore at the "Pop" concert last week, are close friends and near neighbors.

Her contribution to the programs of this week will be the "Symphonie Espagnol," by Lalo.

The program for these two concerts will be remarkable in that there will be only three numbers thereon. The first half of the period will be devoted to a performance of Brahms' symphony No. 11, and the last half to the violin number and a first-time piece by Bantock, the English composer who writes altogether on Oriental themes. This is one of the new compositions promised by Mr. Zach in his forecast of the present season's program.

Concert Altogether Orchestral.

The Sunday afternoon "pop" concert today will be altogether orchestral for the first time this season. The plan of the orchestra this season is to give the "pop" attendants high-class soloists at intervals through the season, with an occasional wholly orchestral concert between whiles, rather than mediocre soloists at every concert. This plan seems to be highly pleasing to the public, for every Sunday afternoon program has been played to a capacity house thus far. The program today will contain three first-time pieces and the usual number of old favorites, ending with a Strauss waltz. It follows:

March—Chantecler ..... Strube
(First time.)
Overture to The Bat ..... Strauss
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Two Norwegian Dances ..... Grieg
Fire Finale from Lohengrin ..... Wagner
Sevillana from Don Cesar de Bazan ..... Massenet
Prelude ..... Rachmaninow
(First time.)
Waltz—Artist's Life ..... Strauss

Gun Explosion Kills Rabbit Hunter.

CARMI, Ill., Nov. 29.—While hunting rabbits today, Everett Edwards, 17 years old, was instantly killed when his gun exploded. Several companions witnessed the accident.

55 DEAD IN TWO STATES, HUNTING SEASON'S RECORD

Wisconsin and Upper Michigan Set a New Mark; 7500 Deer Killed in Minnesota.

By Associated Press.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 29.—This year's death roll among the deer hunters in Wisconsin and Upper Michigan is the largest that has ever been recorded.

Accidents reported up to today resulted in the death of 22 Wisconsin hunters and the injury of 23. The totals for Upper Michigan are nine killed and 12 injured.

For the bird season which opened in Wisconsin prior to the deer season the killed numbered 34, making a grand total of 65.

Slaughter of Deer in Minnesota Estimated at 7500.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 29.—Seven thousand five hundred deer have fallen before the onslaught of hunters in Minnesota in the season which ends tomorrow, according to estimates made by H. A. Rider of the State Game and Fish Commission. He says it has been the best season for hunting these animals in a decade despite the absence of snow in the Northern woods.

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Celtic Drama to Be Staged.

The Celtic drama of olden days, "Countess Cathleen," in four acts, will be presented Tuesday night by the O'Ita Society of the McKinley High School. Among those who will take part are: Misses Nina Mayfield, Estelle Walton, Marguerite Clayton, Adele Trebus, Frances Reynolds, Lucile Murphy, Helen Luth, Leona Shepard, Edna Kafka, Corinne Hodmeister, Florence Wehrheim, Frances Starck, Edith James, Helen Mears, Ellen Fischer, Georgine Brooke, Martha Knollenberg, Alma Waespi, Margaret Cheney and Genevieve Lewry.

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IN THIS IMMENSE STOCK ARE NEW AND USED UPRIGHT PIANOS, PLAYER-PIANOS AND GRAND PIANOS OF NEARLY EVERY STANDARD MAKE, STYLE AND FINISH, WHICH WILL GO THIS WEEK FROM $200.00 TO $500.00 BELOW REGULAR PRICES. NO REASONABLE OFFER REFUSED.

UPRIGHT PIANOS	REGULAR PRICE	SPECIAL PRICE	UPRIGHT PIANOS	REGULAR PRICE	SPECIAL PRICE	UPRIGHT PIANOS	REGULAR PRICE	SPECIAL PRICE
Arion	$200	$25	Hardman	$450	$90	Chickering	$450	$150
Howard	$225	$35	J. & C. Fischer	$450	$95	Stone & Son	$450	$165
Gabler	$250	$40	Hallet & Davis	$450	$100	S. C. Campbell	$475	$175
Kroeger	$275	$45	Schaeffer	$450	$105	Knabe	$475	$185
Wesser	$300	$50	Schaaf	$450	$110	Belmore	$475	$190
Beaty	$325	$55	Stone	$450	$115	Decker Bros.	$475	$195
Lyon & Healy	$350	$60	Lagonda	$450	$120	King	$500	$215
Kimball	$375	$70	Jacob Doll	$450	$125	Steinway	$550	$225



Oak, Walnut or Mahogany cases.

OUR SPECIAL TERMS

If you have any ready money, bring it along; if not, come anyway. People of good standing can even purchase one for

NO MONEY DOWN. $1.00 PER WEEK. FREE DRAYAGE. 3 YEARS' EXCHANGE PRIVILEGE. EVERY PIANO GUARANTEED. FREE MUSIC LESSONS GIVEN TO EACH PURCHASER AND PIANOS STORED FREE FOR CHRISTMAS DELIVERY IF DESIRED. SQUARE PIANOS GIVEN AWAY.



Oak and Mah. cases, Free music.

Bargains in New Player-Pianos

These 88-note player-pianos are simply perfect, not only in tone, finish and case design, but in the mechanical construction as well. They are guaranteed for ten years, and twelve rolls of music goes with each instrument. They sell regularly up to $900, now

$267, $295, $325, $350 Up

Bargains in New Upright Pianos

These pianos are the finest money can produce. They have a beautiful tone, splendid action, double veneered cases, copper wound bass strings, fancy oak, walnut and mahogany cases, guaranteed 25 years, and were made to sell regularly up to $500; your choice now at

$95, $115, $125, $135 Up

NOW IS YOUR TIME The original KING PIANO COMPANY loss is your gain. Price is no object. The Administrator knows that these instruments must be sold awfully low to dispose of this mammoth stock now in our various stores and factories in such a short time. If salesmen are all busy when you come in just look over the stock until we can wait upon you, don't be impatient. **OPEN EVENINGS.**

COME EARLY AND SECURE FIRST CHOICE. THERE NEVER WAS OR NEVER WILL BE SUCH A PRICE CUTTING PIANO OR PLAYER-PIANO SALE AS THIS

THIS PLAYER — OPEN EVENINGS



Railroad fare paid to out-of-town purchasers living within two hundred miles.

THIS UPRIGHT — OPEN EVENINGS



KING PIANO CO.
Biggest—Busiest—Best

World's Greatest Manufacturers, Wholesale Distributers and Retailers. Branch Stores in All Principal Cities in the United States. Factory-to-Home Store,

1118 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo.
OPEN EVENINGS.

AMUSEMENTS.

COLUMBIA
WORLD'S BEST VAUDEVILLE
DAILY BARGAIN MATINEES
EXCEPT SATURDAY, 25-50c
EVERY EVENING 8:15
Week Starting Tomorrow
GUS EDWARDS'
"KID KABARET"
With Eddie Cantor, Geo. Jessel and a Company of 20 Clever Kid Comics.
VINIE DALY
American Prima Donna Soprano.
WM. A. BRADY offers
"THE NAKED MAN"
A one-act play by Richard Harding Davis.
Mrs. Claudia Carstadt Wheeler
in Songs.
GEO. SCHINDLER
Mouth Organ Virtuoso.
THOSE FOUR ENTERTAINERS
A Harmonious Blend of Fun and Music.
THE BELLECLAIR BROTHERS
Internationally Famed Athletes.
GENE MULLER TRIO
Aeroplane Hoopsters.
PATHE WEEKLY
First Run Current Event Pictures.

ODEON, Wed. Eve., Dec. 3 at 8:15.
PADEREWSKI
Prices, $2.50, $2, $1.50, $1. Box Seats, $3. Now on sale at Famous & Barr Co. Ticket Office.

AMUSEMENTS.

10c—TALBOT'S—10c
HIPPODROME
Sixth, Near Walnut.
"Where Everybody Goes"
LAST TIME SUNDAY
"A Jolly Mix Up"
BEGINNING MONDAY MATINEE, DECEMBER 1st.
JESSE LASKY PRESENTS
"THE GIRLS and the JOCKEY"
With twelve people in the cast. A musical comedy worth while, radiating with pretty girls, tuneful music, catchy songs and novel dances, with two clever comedians.
KELLY-LATELL TROUPE
Wire wizards from the Ringling Brothers' Circus.
SAM LIEBERT & COMPANY
Late Star of "Louisiana Lou," in his newest musical playlet,
"AFTER THE WEDDING"
ELLIOTT AND MULLEN
"Two Shades of Tan."
SIX OTHER HEADLINE FEATURE ACTS
PHOTOPLAYS
10c CONTINUOUS FROM 11 A. M. TO 11 P. M. 10c

THE ODEON
NEWMAN
TRAVELTALKS Biograph Color Views and Motion Pictures
NEXT THURSDAY Eve., Dec. 4
ROME THIRD IN A SERIES OF FIVE
TICKETS AT FAMOUS & BARR CO. 50c, 75c, $1—Amp. 25c

AMUSEMENTS. AMUSEMENTS.

LA SALLE Mat. Daily 10th Pine
15c AND THIS COUPON GOOD FOR ONE REGULAR RESERVED SEAT, ANY MATINEE EXCEPT SATURDAY, SUNDAY AND HOLIDAYS
PRICES: NIGHTS, 10-20-30-50c. MATINEES, 10 & 25c.
John R. Andrew and Chas. O. Gaines Present
P. G. Lowery and His Dixie Fashion Plate Minstrels
NEXT WEEK—A TEXAS RANGER, WITH 25 PERFORMERS AND A COWBOY BAND.

IN THE HEART OF ST. LOUIS
GAYETY MATINEE DAILY 10 CTS.
14TH AND LOCUST.
ONE WEEK, STARTING SUNDAY MATINEE
ROBINSON CRUSOE GIRLS
FRIDAY NIGHT BIG AMATEUR SHOW $25-GOLD PRIZES-$25
NEXT WEEK: FOLLIES OF PLEASURE.

Matinees 1:45, 10c Evenings, 6:30 and 9, 10c and 20c
NEW GRAND CENTRAL Grand and Lucas
MONDAY AND ALL WEEK
DANIEL FROHMAN PRESENTS
JAMES O'NEILL
IN MOTION PICTURES
"THE COUNT OF MONTE CRISTO"
THIS AFTERNOON AND EVENING, "LES MISERABLES"

St. Louis Symphony Orchestra
POP. CONCERT
ODEON TODAY AT 2:15. PRICES, 25c and 50c.
IRMA SEYDEL
VIOLIN VIRTUOSO.
ODEON Friday, Dec. 5, at 8:00. Saturday, Dec. 6, at 2:15. Tickets, $1.50 to $2.00, at Thomas-Shaw Co. Main Floor Gallery.

WHAT HAPPENED?
Left her purse on the counter.
Left an umbrella on the street car.
Dropped a brooch in church.
Left fur on back of seat in theater.
Dropped key out of her pocket.
Fob fell off of her watch chain.
Advertised through Post-Dispatch Lost and Found Wants and—
Recovered!

AMUSEMENTS. AMUSEMENTS.

OLYMPIC
TONIGHT— Pop. Mat. Wednesday, 25c to $1.00
Evenings and Sat. Mat., 25c to $2.00
THE WILLIAM ELLIOTT and DAVID BELASCO Present
GOVERNOR'S LADY
WITH THE ORIGINAL BIG PRODUCTION INTACT FROM MR. BELASCO'S REPUBLIC THEATER, NEW YORK.
And the Season's Best Cast
Including Gladys Hanson, William K. Harcourt, Catherine Proctor, Eugene O'Brien, Diana Storm and Thirty Others.
POSITIVELY THE ORIGINAL NEW YORK CAST AND PRODUCTION IN
OH! OH! DELPHINE
The Best Musical Entertainment of the Season.
WEEK BEGINNING SUNDAY, DEC. 7. POPULAR $1.00 MAT. WED.
Eves. and Sat. Mat., 50c to $2.00. Seat Sale Thursday.

SHUBERT ONE WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY NIGHT
MATINEES WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY
Curtain rises promptly at 8:00 o'clock evenings and at 2:00 o'clock at matinees
ANNUAL SHAKSPEARE FESTIVAL
E. H.
SOTHERN
and
JULIA
MARLOWE
Monday, Taming of the Shrew; Tuesday, Romeo and Juliet; Wednesday Matinee, If I Were King; Wednesday Night, Much Ado About Nothing; Thursday, Twelfth Night; Friday, The Merchant of Venice; Saturday Matinee, As You Like It; Saturday Night, Hamlet.
Prices: 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00
Miss Marlowe will appear in all plays except "If I Were King."

SHUBERT Four Nights Only. Dec. 7, 8, 9, 10. Matinee Wed., Dec. 10. SPECIAL
Note—Owing to the extraordinary demand for this attraction, and a desire on the part of the management to serve the public with impartial distribution of tickets for GABY DESLYS, and to obviate speculation, not more than six tickets will be sold to any one purchaser.
SEAT SALE (MONDAY) At 9 A.M.
PRICES 50c, 75c, $1, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50
THE WINTER GARDEN CO.
GABY DESLYS
Playing the leading role in English in
THE LITTLE PARISIENNE
With Harry Pilcer and the Winter Garden Company, including Forrest Huff, Fritzi Von Busing, Edgar Atchison-Ely, Joseph Herbert, Chas. Angelo, Percy Lyndal, Hattie Knaltal

SHUBERT COMMENCING THURSDAY Dec. 11 3 NIGHTS 2 MATINEES
JOSEPH E. HOWARD (Incorporated) Presents
A BROADWAY HONEYMOON
WITH
EMMMA CARUS
JOSEPH E. HOWARD—MABEL McCANE
And Entire Original Howard Theater Co., Direct From a Run of 100 Nights in Chicago.
Seat Sale Thursday, Dec. 4.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE MARKET Bet. 6th and BROADWAY
A GOOD SIGN TO REMEMBER.
VAUDEVILLE'S SUPREME ANIMAL FEATURE
ZIRA and Her Leopards
A NIGHT IN A JUNGLE LAND
RALPH ASH & SHAW WINN In a Night in Chinatown
JOS. REMINGTON & CO. The Millinery Salesman
BURNS & LYNN Dancing Marvels
TAISI BROTHERS Oriental Wandir Workers
LILIAN WATSON Singing Comedienne
HARRY LEANDER & CO. In a Night at the Beach
FRED GRIFFITH Tricky Monologist
FIRST RUN KINEMACOLOR
Extra Added Attraction DOC WHITE The Famous White Sox Pitcher
OFFERING VIOLIN SELECTION. SINGER OF POPULAR SONGS AND BASE BALL STORIES
Show never stops, 11 to 11 p. m.—Doors Open at 10:30 a. m.



ADMISSION 10 Cents

AMERICAN
MATINEE TODAY 25c, 50c
OTHER MATS. TUES., THURS. AND SAT.
EVENINGS 25-35-50-75. Box Seats, $1.00
THE GREATEST LOVE STORY EVER WRITTEN
A Modern Romeo and Juliet
ONE DAY
Cecil Spooner's Production
A Dramatization of the Novel, a Sequel to Three Weeks, Revealing the Love Affair the Son of the Queen of Sardalia and Paula of Three Weeks Fame Has While Visiting Lucerne, the Scene of His Mother's Affair. Absolutely Moral in Every Respect. A Play for Everyone to See.
Next Sunday Matinee—A FOOL THERE WAS.

STANDARD SEVENTH & WALNUT
HOME OF FOLLY 2 FROLICS DAILY
COM. MATINEE TODAY
BURLESQUE AS IT SHOULD BE
THE BOWERY BURLESQUERS
TWO ST. LOUIS BOYS, FITZGERALD & QUINN
SPICE, GINGER, MUSIC, COMEDY
and 30 Shapely & Pretty Girlies 30
WEEK OF DECEMBER 7TH—COLUMBIA BURLESQUERS

Ideas Count—Especially opportunity ideas such as are found every day in Post-Dispatch "Wants."



$3.50 Royal Nippon Vases, $1.69

1296 pieces of beautiful Royal Nippon hand-painted Vases in this lot direct from a Japanese maker at half below usual worth. It is a timely offering & presents the solution to many gift questions. A broad range of styles & decorations in Vases—worth $3.50, choice Monday, $1.69.

$35 French China Dinner Sets, $25

Direct from the French maker comes this lot of 45 Limoges china 100-piece Dinner Sets at remarkable savings for Monday buyers. They are in a popular Haviland plain shape with beautiful wide gold band decorations & solid coin gold handles & knobs—sets worth $35, selling Monday at $25.00.

No telephone or C. O. D. orders filled.

Basement Salesroom

Famous and Barr Co.

ENTIRE BLOCK: OLIVE, LOCUST, SIXTH AND SEVENTH STS.

Largest Distributers of Merchandise at Retail in Missouri or the West.

We Give and Redeem EAGLE STAMPS.

Gold Spectacles or Eyeglasses for Christmas

They are sensible presents & make most practical gifts for grandfather, grandmother, father, mother & any other member of the family that needs glasses. Give them for Christmas & our optician will fit them with proper lenses when desired. They are here priced at $2.50 up.

We fit the eyes correctly with lenses & offer gold filled Eyeglasses or Spectacles which exclusive optical stores usually charge $3.50 for, at only $1.

On Monday & Wednesday we give a gold filled Eyeglass chain or automatic holder free with each pair of glasses fitted.

Main Floor, Aisle 4

This Store Is Splendidly Prepared for Efficient Service to Christmas Shoppers

Much careful planning has been done to get this great institution in complete readiness for Christmas shopping.

The Vast Stocks—by far the largest ever assembled in St. Louis—are in complete readiness & afford almost limitless choosing in practical gifts chosen because of their especial fitness for the occasion.

The Simplified Arrangement of goods throughout every section will make buying here more comfortable, expeditious & satisfactory.

The Ease of Access to any & every section of the store will conserve the shoppers' time & energies. The batteries of elevators, the staircases & the moving stairways & wide aisles penetrate every section of the store & bring the buyer to the desired section in the shortest possible time.

The Absolute Protection from fire or mishap makes this the safest store in the world for shopping. The building is entirely fireproof throughout, every mechanical contrivance for the transportation of patrons is equipped with the latest & most approved safety appliances & no store or building in the world affords its occupants better protection than this.

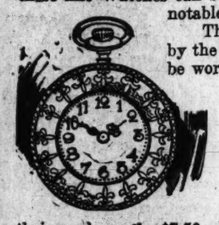
Frequently has this store been termed by visitors versed in department store arrangement as "The Most Practical Store in the World." With its first Christmas season at hand, it is in complete readiness to render the most efficient service at the time when most is required of a store.

Countless little service features, such as the Postoffice, Free Check Room, Nursery, Reception & Writing Rooms as well as many other helpful conveniences await but the need to render much assistance to visitors.

With service features adequate to meet every occasion with stocks full & complete & with the unusual values that are offered daily, this is truly the CHRISTMAS STORE OF ST. LOUIS, the place for most convenient, comfortable, satisfactory & profitable buying of every Holiday need.

$7.50 American Watches at $3.85

It's by one of the good fortunes of trade that this lot of these fine Watches can be offered at this price, duplicating the notable sale of them we held last June.



These are excellent timekeepers, made by the New England Watch Company, & can be worn with coat chains, with pin or bracelets. They are of sterling silver, gilded, with fine imported enameling, & come in dainty shades of heliotrope, new blue, amber, Yale blue & white enamel; also with gold, black & pearl combinations. Watches are sold with our absolute guarantee, & offered at, instead of their real worth, $7.50, choice Monday at..... $3.85

"This is the St. Louis Home of Sea Garden Pearls."

Jewelry Store—Main Floor

Linen Handkerchiefs at About Half-Price

Men's 50c & 75c Linen Handkerchiefs, 25c

There are only about 150 dozen of these—of the finest quality linen in large sizes with hand-drawn hems—while they last—each, 25c.

25c Hand Embroidered Linen Handkerchiefs, 15c

Many styles in one corner & all around embroidered designs on Irish linen—Monday, 6 for 85c—each, 15c.

Men's Initial Linen Handkerchiefs

Full 18-inch size, good linen with neat open worked initials—6 in box—$1.00 value at, 79c.

25c Colored Novelty Handkerchiefs, 15c

Very new & stylish—of linen with colored border designs & hand embroidered French dots—tomorrow—6 for 85c—each, 15c.

Men's & Women's Linen Handkerchiefs, 10c to 25c Values at 5c & 10c

Men's Handkerchiefs, 10c each—women's Handkerchiefs, 5c each—about 800 dozen—not more than 1 dozen to each customer.

Men's 50c Silk Handkerchiefs for 29c

Large size, plain white or with fancy novelty colored borders or colored centers—tomorrow, 29c.

Main Floor, Aisle 5

$100,000.00 Worth of Luxurious Furs at ⅓ to ½ Less

In today's Globe-Democrat we print a full half-page about St. Louis' greatest sale of Furs. This is without question the most remarkable event of its kind ever announced in this section.

The "backward season" has caused very little activity in the fur markets. Furriers with great stocks on hand became alarmed & offered to dispose of their great surplus stocks at tremendous sacrifices. We bought heavily, having our fur expert to personally choose the choicest pieces, sets & coats, & these are now offered at savings to correspond with the terms of purchase.

It is truly the most opportune time for Fur buying, & many shrewd shoppers will buy handsome gifts from this sale at about half what they would be required to pay under ordinary conditions.

See today's Globe-Democrat, & arrange to be here early Monday to share in this occasion.

Third Floor.

$3.49 & $3.98 Kimonos, $2.85

Women's all-wool Albatross Kimonos, scalloped down front & sleeves, in colors pink, light blue, lavender & gray—Monday at $2.85.



$5.98 Bath Robes, $4.95

An underpurchase lot of 167 women's all-wool Beacon Blanket Bath Robes—effectively satin trimmed, with silk frogs, in all sizes & colors—Monday, $4.95.

$3.98 China Silk Sacques, $2.95

China Silk Quilted Sacques, short style, in shades of pink, light blue, black & navy, & with contrasting colors, excellent for Christmas gifts—$3.98 & $4.49 values—Monday, $2.95.

$1.25 Shawls, 89c

Women's all-wool Shoulder Shawls, in black & white checks or gray, brown or black with borders—size 42x42—Monday, 89c.

$2.98 to $4.98 Undermuslins, $1.95

A prize lot of dainty Undermuslins considerably below value for Monday. Included are women's nainsook gowns, elaborately trimmed with Val. & shadow laces & wide ribbon beading—also sheer nainsook combination corset cover & drawers, lace or embroidery trimmed—these are slightly mussed from display & offered for immediate disposal at, $1.95.

Third Floor

Real Hair Wigs for Dolly

Joy & gladness is in store for the little miss with a favored dolly whose hair has become thin. It may be rejuvenated with real Human Hair Wigs that can be combed & brushed & which come in any color, & be ready Christmas morning, just like a brand-new doll.



Bring in the dolls & we will attach the new wigs without extra charge this week. Early selection is best now while stocks are complete.

Size No. 10, at	$1.00
Size No. 11, at	$1.25
Size No. 12, at	$1.50
Size No. 13, at	$1.75
Size No. 14, at	$2.00
Size No. 15, at	$2.25
Size No. 16, at	$2.50

Main Floor Gallery

65c Guest Towels, 35c

Made from the best grade Irish Huck with satin figured borders—many with monogram space—65c value—Monday, $4.00 dozen, or each, 35c.

$5 Scalloped Dinner Sets for $3.98

All linen cloth & 6 napkins to match—very splendid quality—$5 value—Monday, set, $3.98.

$3.00 Hand Embroidered Napkins, $2.19

Scalloped tea Napkins, 14 inches sq.—hand embroidered corner—all linen—Monday, doz., $2.19.

French Bath Robe Cloth

Excellent quality French Terry, 62 inches wide—blue, pink, helio & gray stripes—$1.50 value, yd., $1.

Xmas Waist Patterns

Beautiful patterns, containing 3 yds. of imported madras, voiles & white goods—put up in holly box—complete for Xmas gifts—Monday, special, $1.

Fifth Floor

$60.00 Singer Sewing Machines, $36.50

A special lot advantageously secured—every one strictly new—No. 66—7 drawers, dust-proof—$60 value—Monday, while a limited number last—special, $36.50.





$40 Singer Sewing Machines, $23.50

5 & 7 drawers—10 only—also 3 New Home and 3 White Rotary Machines—Monday, while they last—choice, $23.50.

4 $50.00 White Rotary Machines	$35.00
3 $45.00 Automatic Machines	$30.00
4 $40.00 New Domestic Machines	$28.50
12 $30.00 New Sewing Machines	$20.00
6 $23.50 Sewing Machines	$18.00
6 $20.00 Sewing Machines	$15.00
6 $18.00 Sewing Machines	$13.75

FREE! This handsome Bamboo Sewing Chair with each sewing Machine purchased here Monday.

All Machines guaranteed ten years & sold on our "Popular Club Plan."

"Free" Sewing Machines

One of the best standard makes, with 8 sets ball bearings—guaranteed a lifetime—light running—superior construction throughout—sold on our "Popular Club Plan"—small cash payment—balance ..... $1.00 Per Week

Fifth Floor

Housefurnishings & Home Needs

$1.75 Bread & Cake Boxes, 97c

Large size—combination—with hinged cover—Monday, 97c.



Toilet Paper, 10 for 25c

5c Roll Toilet Paper—good tissue—Monday—10 rolls 25c

Blue Flame Smokeless Oil Heaters



Black Japanned, Mica Window, open top & bottom—large oil fount—Monday, $2.85.

Fairbank's Clairette Laundry Soap, 10 bars, 25c.

60c Five-sewed Parlor Brooms, of good quality broomcorn, 32c.

$1.75 square willow Clothes Baskets—wood bottom, $1.17.

80c 100-ft. Keystone Clothesline—full length—Monday, 52c.

35c Washboards, brass rubbing surface—Monday, 27c.

$1.15 6-ft. "Valley" Folding Clothes Bars, 75c.

$1.60 No. 8 Wash Boilers, heavy copper bottom, $1.09

23c 12-qt. galvanized Scrub Pails—extra strong, 15c.

$2.25 Carpet Sweepers for $1.59

Bissell's Crown Jewel Carpet Sweepers—light running—Monday, $1.59.

35c Coal Hods, 21c

12-inch, heavy, galvanized, with strong bail—Monday, 21c.

$6.50 Washing Machines, $4.95

"Winner" Rotary Machines—large wood tub, well braced—Monday, $4.95.



Basement Salesroom

In Order to Dispose of 500 Coats Monday, We Offer

$25, $30 & $32.50 Coats for $16.85



THE extremely unfavorable weather has left us with altogether too many Coats—a great many more than we should have right now—& to materially reduce this stock we have sorted out 500 of the most popular coats in our superb $25, $30 & $32.50 lines & have grouped them into one great lot for Monday's clearaway. Included are: Ural lamb, plush, Arabian lamb, astrakhan, boucle, broadcloth, chinchilla & novelty coatings in the most popular models, possessing all the most favored style features — three-quarter, seven-eighth & full-length models—1, 2 & 3 button cutaway & straight front, full-length styles — guaranteed satin linings — many have collar & cuffs of Hudson seal plush—coats worth $25, $30 & $32.50—in this stock-reducing clearaway Monday we offer you choice of any coat in this unusual assortment for..... $16.85

Third Floor

$1.98 Black Charmeuse, $1.48

40-inch all-silk, soft finish Black Charmeuse—worth $1.98—Monday, yard, $1.48.

$1.25 Black Broadcloth for 88c

54-inch, all-wool, smooth finish, medium weight black Broadcloth — $1.25 value, Monday, yard, 88c.

$1.25 White Washable Silks for $1.00

Splendid 40-inch white Habutai Silk—with self-color, woven coin dots—worth $1.25—Monday, yard, $1.

$1 Black Panama, 59c

54-inch, all-wool, Chiffon Panama, steam sponged, perfect black—regular $1 quality, Mon., yard, 59c.

$1.75 Striped Cheviot for $1.25

Heavy, all-wool, narrow woven stripe cheviot Suiting—54 inches wide, black & colors—worth $1.75, Monday, yard, $1.25.

$2.00 Wool Plaids, $1.50

Just received twenty pieces of all-wool 54-inch stylish Plaids—worth $2.00—Monday, yard, $1.50.

Main Floor, Aisle 1

Women's Underwear

Broken Lots Ribbed Wool Vests, Pants & Union Suits at About Half Usual Price

Vests or Pants—85c to $1 values	49c
Vests or Pants—ex. & reg. sizes—$1 values	59c
Vests & Pants—ex. & reg. sizes—$1.25 values	77c
Union Suits—extra sizes—$1.75 values	95c
Union Suits, ex. & reg. sizes—$2 to $2.25 values,	$1.19
Union Suits, ex. & reg. sizes—$2.50 to $3 values,	$1.44

Main Floor, Aisle 7

Women's $1.50 Silk Hose, $1.24

Pure silk, with wide double silk flare garter top with lavender stripe—full fashioned—Mon., $1.24.

Women's 39c Out Size Hose, 28c

Full-fashioned — black cotton with double garter welt—Monday, 28c.

Main Floor

Children's 65c "Fit-rite" Union Suits, 38c

Cotton ribbed, fleeced—white, ecru & silver color.

Second Floor

Children's "Bear Brand" Hose

Panama or Bearskin—two weights, medium & heavy—wide & narrow ribbed — none better for service—6 prs., 80c; or pair, 15c.

Children's "Fay" Stockings

35c to 45c Values, 19c

Genuine "Fay" Stockings—need no supporters—while slightly imperfect, the defects are so slight that they could be sold as first quality—75 dozen—Monday, while they last, pair..... 19c

Main Floor, Aisle 6

In the Tea Room

Anton's Orchestra will furnish delightful music during the luncheon hours, 12 to 2, daily.

Reserved Seats Are on Sale for **Paderweski Recital**

At Odeon, Dec. 3rd.

Newman Traveltalks

At Odeon, December 4th; Subject, "Rome."

St. Louis Symphony Orchestra

Artiste recital, Friday afternoon & Saturday evening, Dec. 5th & 6th, with Irma Seydel, Violinist, as soloist.

Also admission tickets for the Sunday "Pop" concerts.

Main Floor Gallery

In Today's Globe-Democrat

We print announcements of first importance about—

Sale of Sterling Picture Frames.
Before Christmas Sale Art Needlework.
Outgo of Dress Trimmings.
Oriental Rugs at ¼ off.

In Today's Republic

Are items of much importance to the thrifty, including—

Sale of Men's Suits.
Women's Dresses at $21.75.
Children's Coats underpriced.
Savings in Lighting Fixtures.

New Lace Curtains, Portieres & Draperies

Introducing all the latest novelty effects & priced at fully ⅓ to ½ saving by reason of a fortunate purchase made while our buyer was in the market a short time ago—

Lace Curtains, $2.97 Pair

The saving is ⅓ to ½—real handmade Cluny, Marie Antoinette, Rococco, Braid Renaissance & French Novelty—also French Cable Net, Brussels Net, Saxony & Egyptian Lace Curtains—in 50 of the very newest and most artistic designs—white, ecru, ivory, two-tone & Arabian—6 to 40 pairs of a kind—Monday—pair.... $2.97

Handmade imported Lace Curtains at ⅓ to ½ saving—Monday at, pair, $4.50, $5.95, $7.50, $10.50, $12.50 & $14.95.

Fourth Floor

Toys & Dolls: Special Pricing

$1.25 Blackboards, 98c

Large size, easel back, with revolving chart—Monday, 98c.

$5 Doll Cabs, $3.95

Extra large size English Cabs — strap gear, leather hood, rubber tires—Monday, $3.95.

$4 Handcars, $3.19

Genuine "Irish Mail"—full size—rubber tires—Monday, $3.19.

$1 Sidewalk Sulkeys, 69c

Full size—rubber tires—Monday, 69c.

$1.50 100-shot Air Rifles, with safety	$1.19
$1.00 5-coin Register Banks—large size	79c
70c Game of Parcheesi—regular edition	49c
$1.00 Large size Saddle Horses—Monday	84c
$5.95 Large size Moving Picture Machines	$4.49
$2.75 Girls' Sewing Machines—large size	$2.39
$1.00 Electric Trains on track	74c
$3.50 Artificial Christmas Trees, in pot	$1.98
$4.50 16-light Electric Tree Lighting Outfits	$3.98
$1.00 Large size Character Dolls—moving eyes	69c
$2.50 Large size Jointed Dolls	$1.95
$3.50 Extra large size Jointed Dolls	$2.45
$5.00 Large size Royal Jointed Dolls	$3.98
$7.00 Large size Royal Jointed Dolls	$4.98
$8.00 Extra large size Royal Jointed Dolls	$5.98

Basement Salesroom

$7 Rocking Horses, $4.95

Large size, circus style, with leather saddle and bridle, $4.95.



Sale of Sample Picture Frames

A sale that should bring remarkable response in view of the nearness of Christmas.

A maker's entire line of sample Frames bought at a price that permits our offering you ⅓ or more saving. If you have any photos or pictures to be framed or if you are contemplating the choosing of pictures for Xmas gifts, avail yourself of Monday's price inducements.

75c Antique Frames, 50c

With fancy ornaments—10 x12 size—Monday, 50c.

$2.50 & $3 Photo Frames, $2

Stand, fancy top frames—also 16x20 oval & square frames—Monday, $2.00.

$5 Picture Frames, $2.98

Antique — oval & square frames—various styles—Monday, $2.98.

$7 Picture Frames, $5

Stand Cheval and hand-carved frames — regular $7 value—Monday, $5.00.

Also included in Monday's sale are small lots of sample framed Pictures as follows:

$12 Carbon Pictures, $9

Large size—very unusual subjects—artistically framed.

$25 Framed Pictures, $17

Oil paintings, Colonial mirrors & copper plate pictures — richly framed.

Fifth Floor

Extraordinary Savings in the Basement Gallery

50c & 75c Shirts, 46c

Men's percale & madras Cloth Shirts, made coat style with attached cuffs—pretty patterns—sizes to 17½—Monday, 46c.

85c House Dresses, 59c

Women's percale, gingham & chambray House Dresses, low or high neck—all sizes—Monday, 59c.

$2 & $2.50 Kimonos, $1.19

Women's long flannelette Kimonos, Empire style or French back, Mendel's make—Monday, $1.19.

10 Handkerchiefs for 25c

They are slight seconds of usual 5c & 10c Handkerchiefs—tomorrow, 10 for 25c.

Fancy Boxed Handkerchiefs

Embroidered and lace-edged Handkerchiefs—packed in fancy boxes—or 6 in box—tomorrow, box, 25c & 50c.

$1.50 Corsets for 89c

Of coutil & batiste—newest models—medium & low busts—long sheath effects—rust-proof boned—embroidery & lace trimmed—4 hose supporters attached—sizes 18 to 30—Monday, 89c.

Crib Blankets, 50c

Heavy quality—34x42-in. size—blue & pink, with neat animal designs—bound—ready for use—Monday, each, 50c.

Women's $3 Wool Sweaters, $1.98

All-wool Sweater Coats, in high neck or shawl collar styles, some with belted effects, plain or fancy weaves, in Oxford, cardinal, navy & white, 34 to 44 sizes, $1.98.

Women's Large Bungalow Aprons

Of ginghams & percales—well made—50c values—Monday, 39c.

15c India Linens, 10c

"Pride of the West"—stamped in selvage—snowy white—also dimity checks & stripes—Monday, yd., 10c.

25c Curtain Scrim, 10c

36 in. wide—double border—white & ecru—mill cuts, 2½ to 9 yds.—Monday, yd., 10c.

$1.69 Boxed Nainsook, $1.25

39 inches wide—beautiful finish—put up in box of 10 yds. each—for underwear, etc.—Monday, box, $1.25

59c Embroidered Flannels, 39c

Embroidered on white wool Flannel; 35 inches wide—neatly hemstitched designs—for infants' wear—not more than 10 yards to each customer and no mail or phone orders filled—Monday—yard, 39c.

$1.00 Pillowcases, 79c Pair

Hemstitched, with embroidered initials—neatly boxed—45x36 in. size—Monday—pair, 79c.

Clearaway of Millinery

Rousing disposal of Millinery stocks to make room for holiday goods.

Choice of any Trimmed Hat in cases, formerly to $4.95, at $1.

1 table of Beaver Hats, all colors, new shapes, worth to $3, at 75c.

1 table of Silk Velvet Shapes, formerly to $1.48, choice, 35c.

1 table of felt ready-to-wear Hats, worth to $1.95, choice, 35c.

1 table of girls' School Hats, worth to 95c, choice, 25c.

Ask about the free trimming service in this Basement Gallery Millinery Section.

$1 & $1.25 White Waists, 69c

Women's French voile, lingerie & lawn, open front, long sleeve Waists, with embroidered fronts—some have lace frills & collars, also included a number of tailored madras & linene Shirts—choice, Monday, 69c.

Women's 25c Lisle Hose

Fine ribbed, black lisle Hose—seamless, "mill runs"—Monday, pr., 12½c.

50c Sleeping Garments

Children's bleached cotton ribbed Sleeping Garments, 29c.

$2 & $2.50 Sweaters

Men's wool Sweater Coats, assorted colors, with or without pockets, $1.18.

$20 & $22.50 Plush & Ural Lamb Coats for $14.90

Women's & Misses' Sizes

Stylish new Plush & Ural Lamb Coats, full satin lined, ⅞ & ¾ lengths, some with beaver plush collars & cuffs, cutaway style with frog & plush covered button fastenings—all sizes, including 46 & 48—Monday, choice..... $14.90

$12.75, $13.50 & $15 Suits, $8.50

Women's & Misses' Sizes

Splendidly tailored, correctly styled garments, made of cheviot, serge, albaline & mixtures, with smart cutaway or semi-straight coats—satin or peau de cygne lined—effectively draped or trimmed skirts—in shades navy, brown & taupe—all sizes 14 to 44—Monday, $8.50.

$15 Crepe de Chine Dresses, $7.75

Women's cleverly fashioned crepe de chine, wool crepe, soft messaline & wool poplin Dresses — in low neck or novelty collar styles, with long sleeves. Fronts are trimmed with lace frills & skirts are in effectively draped & trimmed effects. Such fashionable shades are shown as Copenhagen, brown, taupe, navy, mahogany, wisteria, red, new green & black—all sizes 14 to 44—Monday, $7.75.

$3 & $3.50 Silk Petticoats, $1.85

Women's messaline & chiffon taffeta Petticoats, in plain & changeable colors—with fancy plaited or plain tailored flounces, with or without underlays—including a lot of 43 "EPPO" Petticoats—worth $5—all in one great lot Monday, choice, $1.85.



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UNPRECEDENTED EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS AT END

House Adjourns, but Senate Will Work Until Short Time Before Regular Meeting Convenes Tomorrow to Finish Currency and Other Legislation.

DEMOCRATS PLAN TO HOLD NIGHT SESSIONS

Tariff Revision and Federal Mediation Among Laws Passed in Seven-Months' Work, Longest in Congressional History.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—When Speaker Clark rapped his gavel at 12:54 this afternoon the extra session of the House of Representatives ended. There was a larger attendance than had been seen on the floor of the House for many weeks. Members who had been taking vacations were in their seats ready for the opening of the regular session Monday.

When Majority Leader Underwood, who has been in Alabama campaigning for election to the Senate, arose to present a resolution calling for a joint session of the House and Senate Tuesday, at which the President will read his message, he was loudly applauded. Underwood told friends that he would resign his seat in the House while making his fight for the Senate.

The Senate recessed until 10 o'clock today, thereby having two hours remaining for extra session work.

Two great projects have held the attention of Congress and the country throughout the unprecedented work of the year. One of these, tariff revision, crystalized into law in September. The other, currency reform, still is the chief subject of legislative interest and will remain so until disposed of in the regular session.

Slow Progress on Currency.

Subjected to an all-day wrangle in the conference of Democratic senators, the currency bill got along slowly today in its preparation for final consideration on the floor of the Senate.

Virtually no change was made in the administration draft of the bill as presented by Senator Owen and the new administration Senators of the Banking and Currency Committee during the day, but for several hours the conference discussed a technical interpretation of the bill relating to the retiring of the new currency to be issued. Senator Reed of Missouri criticised the wording of the section. The Democratic program for night and day sessions of the Senate until the bill is disposed of probably will be delayed until the conference considers its work Tuesday or Wednesday. The principle upon which the committee split, the public ownership of Government control of the proposed regional reserve banks, was brought before the conference and the administration plan for regional banks capitalized by enforced subscriptions of the banks and controlled by bank-selected directors was imposed. It was provided, however, that the Federal Reserve Board should have the power to remove all directors of the regional banks. The conference passed over the provision of the bill fixing the number of regional banks.

At the instance of the conference, Democrats of the Currency Committee are framing a guarantee of bank deposits, provision which may be written into the bill.

New Refunding Plan.

The conference referred back to the Democrats of the Banking Committee a section of the bill relating to the retirement of Federal reserve notes, and a new proposition was suggested for refunding of the 2 per cent bonds on which the present currency is based. The plan involved the acceptance of one of the features of the refunding plan in the bill proposed by Senator Hitchcock and the Republicans of the committee. It would replace the present 2 per cent with 2 per cent one-year Government notes, but would take a period of time to effect the transfer.

Regional Section Amended.

Late tonight the conference adopted an amendment to the Owen bill which would permit the Federal Reserve Board to establish any number of regional reserve banks considered necessary between the limits of eight and 12. The agreement met the objection of Senators Hoke Smith and Bacon of Georgia that the Atlanta territory might be compelled to transfer its banking operations to a reserve bank at New Orleans. The Federal Reserve Board would be given authority to decide where banks are needed to meet the ordinary needs of business operations. The bill passed by the House fixed the number of banks at 12, while the Owen bill provided for eight and the Hitchcock bill 12. Preliminary consideration of the bill was completed by the conference tonight and the finishing touches will be made tomorrow.

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RAIN TODAY, FAIR, COLDER TOMORROW

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The Judge frowned. "You," he said to the prisoner, "are the first man convicted of violating the new city ordinance. You have been found guilty of having offered to a street car conductor, at 2:41½ p. m. a transfer which had expired at 2:40. I must make an example of you."

"Be merciful!" the cringing man begged. "Think of my family."

"Justice must be done," said the Court sternly. "You are hereby sentenced to one-half hour of hard jolting, hanging to a strap in a Hodiamont car."

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Rain today; tomorrow fair, colder.

Illinois—Rain Sunday; colder in north and central portions, with shifting winds, becoming northerly and brisk; Monday probably fair; colder in extreme south portion.

Missouri—Rain Sunday; colder in north and west portions; Monday fair; colder east portion.

WOMAN WILL PLAY ON MAN'S FOOTBALL TEAM

Former Coach at Vassar Will Take Quarterback's Place in Cincinnati Game.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 29.—Mrs. Carrie Burckhardt, the only woman football coach in the world, has decided to enter the strenuous game as a player. For weeks and weeks Mrs. Burckhardt has been coaching the Price Hill football team. She is a graduate of Vassar College, is a fine example of the physically perfect athletic girl, and when she came on to Cincinnati to make her home here, she brought with her ideas of how football is played in the East, and some of the best plays.

When the team took the field for their first game Mrs. Burckhardt was on the side lines. Her presence lent encouragement and the team has beaten everything that come its way.

Just one position is weak, the coach declares. That is the quarterback. Abernache is the player's name. Mrs. Burckhardt is not entirely satisfied with his work. After a conference with her manager, she decided she would take a chance at the position of quarterback and in tomorrow's game with West Covington she will be seen in the thickest of the fray, instead of on the side lines.

ENGINE SAVES FARMER WHOSE RIG IT WRECKED

Man Falls on Pilot and Rides 10 Miles on Speeding Locomotive After a Collision.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—"The wild ride of Jim Phelps"—Jim almost wishes he had done it for the movies now—was told today. Phelps is a farmer living five miles northwest of Momence, Ill.

Driving along in the rain, in a closed buggy, he was suddenly snatched from a soft seat in the rig and deposited on a precarious perch on the pilot of a rushing locomotive. He hung on for 10 miles to Solitt, Ill. He has not seen his horse and buggy since. He had only a few minor bruises.

The engineer—it was a Chicago & Eastern Illinois freight train—did not know a collision had occurred.

GIVE KIEL THE MONEY HE WILL BUILD THE BRIDGE

So He Tells the Caledonians—C. Porter Johnson Wants a Patrick Henry to Do It.

Mayor Kiel, in a speech before the Caledonian Society at the Planters Hotel last night, declared he would build the free bridge if he had the money.

"If you will give me money enough I will finish the bridge" Mayor Kiel said. "It rests with the voters."

Guests at the dinner, discussing the Mayor's speech, remarked that that was the whole problem of completing the bridge—getting the money.

C. Porter Johnson, an attorney, declared if St. Louis had a Mayor of the same caliber as Patrick Henry, the free bridge would be completed.

FINDS ANCIENT TEMPLES

Curator Reports Finding Sanctuaries 1500 Years Old.

PEKIN, Nov. 29.—The discovery of fifth century cave-temples in Manchuria was reported today to the Smithsonian Institute at Washington by Langdon Warner, assistant curator of the Boston Museum of Fine Arts. The discovery is regarded as of great historical value.

Mr. Warner today left for the south to make extensive explorations in the interior.

SEES FEET; SEIZES THIEF

Policeman on Soulard Street Makes an Arrest.

Passing Henry Tiefenbach's restaurant, 607 Lafayette avenue, at 9 o'clock last night, Policeman Reeden of the Soulard Street District saw a pair of feet protruding from a side window. Seizing them, the patrolman dragged forth a man who said he was Charles Sarter, 43, a laborer.

The proprietor found his cash register was short $1.50, and this sum was found in Sarter's pocket. He was charged with robbery.

200 DANCERS FLEE AS MOLDING FALLS TO FLOOR; 6 HURT

Accident Occurs as Orchestra Plays "Last Night Was the End of the World."

CHAPERON IN DEBRIS

Victims Taken to Dispensary and Cap Makers Resume Masquerade in Pine St. Hall.

While two hundred dancers and spectators were making merry at the Cap Makers' masquerade ball, in Sparberg's Dancing Academy, 1107 Pine stree, at 11:40 o'clock last night, and while the orchestra was playing, "Last Night Was the End of the World," a gilded molding, 12 feet long, fell, from a height of 12 feet, upon a number of those sitting along the west wall.

Six persons were cut, bruised and scratched by the shower of hard plaster. Mrs. Celia Goldblum, 46 years old, of 5157 Page boulevard, the chaperon, was the one most severely hurt, a deep cut in her scalp being inflicted. Her husband, Louis Goldblum, Ben and Mary Holtzman of 1227 North Twelfth street, Morris Sosna of 5137 Page boulevard and Mrs. Becky Klein of 916 North Seventeenth street, were the others who went to the Central Dispensary, a short distance away, for treatment.

The others, a dozen or more in number, who were sitting in that part of the hall, jumped up and ran screaming to the door. After they were out of the way, a quantity of the plaster below the molding fell, and there was a stampede from the hall for a few minutes.

After the dust had cleared and the injured had been removed, the hall was refilled, and the cap makers, concluding there was no further danger, resumed their dancing.

The jar of the dance is supposed to have caused the accident. The building, though an old one, was not considered unsafe. The police plan to ask the Building Commissioner to make an inquiry as to the safety of the hall.

PRESIDENT HAS GOOD TIME AT NEW YORK PLAY

Cheered in Theater and on Broadway; He Departs for Washington at Midnight.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—President Wilson, Miss Eleanor Wilson, Secretary McAdoo of the Treasury and daughter, Miss Nona McAdoo; Col. and Mrs. House, Col. Malone and Mrs. Malone, Joseph P. Tumulty, Secretary to the President, and Dr. Cary Grayson, the President's physician, attended the Astor Theater tonight. The play was "Seven Keys to Bald Pate."

President Wilson was applauded and cheered as he entered the theater. The President seemed keenly interested in the performance, and laughed in evident enjoyment of the many humorous lines in the play.

As he came out he found a crowd in waiting which rapidly grew to large proportions as the cheering attracted the Broadway throng. He went directly from the theater to the Pennsylvania Terminal, entering his car and retiring shortly after 11 o'clock, more than an hour before the departure of the train for Washington.

OIL BARGE GROUNDS ON CHAIN OF ROCKS

Efforts Made to Save 600,000 Gallons of Cargo When Hull Springs Leak.

A barge containing 600,000 gallons of oil from the Standard Oil refinery was run aground at the Chain of Rocks Friday night and had to be unloaded. The barge was in tow of the steamer Barrett and stranded because of the low stage of water at that point and the heavy draft of the barge.

A report was sent to Alton Saturday afternoon that the steel hull of the barge had sprung a leak and that quite a bit of gasoline was being lost. Hasty preparations were made to save the gasoline.

FATHER SENDS SON TO JAIL

Philadelphian Prosecutes, Convicts, Fixes Sentence, Before Magistrate.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—A father prosecuted, convicted and sentenced his son before Magistrate Briggs in the Seventeenth District Police Court today and gave him a year in the House of Correction. The young man had broken the furniture and tried to drive his mother and sister from the house.

Michael J. Ryan, 3013 South Opal street, was the plaintiff, and Michael Ryan, 24, was the defendant. The father said his son wouldn't work and drank almost constantly. He was out of jail on parole, but seemed determined to get back. The Magistrate asked how long the sentence should be and the father said a year. It was so ordered.

Romance on Crutches Speeds Well.

KITTANING, Pa., Nov. 29.—John Vasbinder, 73, a legless veteran of the Civil War, today married Mrs. Mary Croyle, 67, who has only one arm. Vasbinder insisted on having his old friend, Justice of the Peace John B. Crast, who has but one leg, perform the ceremony.

SLAYER OF FOUR SHOOTS TWO MORE IN MINE SHAFT

Lopez Thought to Have Killed Deputies in Tunnel of Bingham (Utah) Mine.

SMOKING HIM OUT FAILS

Mexican Gunman Shouts He Will Shoot Many Others Before He Is Taken.

By Associated Press.

BINGHAM, Utah, Nov. 29.—In a fight underground, with only the flash of rifles to break the darkness, Ralph Lopez, Mexican gunman, added possibly two more names to the list of men he has killed late today, when he drove back a posse of Deputy Sheriffs in the Utah Apex mine.

Lopez, who started his career of crime on Nov. 21 by slaying the Chief of Police of Bingham, two deputies and a fellow countryman, shouted from the depths of his stronghold tonight that it would cost many more lives before they got him."

Deputy Sheriff Julian Sorenson, the only survivor of the four officers who started in pursuit of Lopez on Nov. 21, went into the mine tonight to hunt down and engage the Mexican single-handed.

Deputy Sorenson later emerged from the mine and said he could find neither the bodies of the Deputies where they had fallen, nor any trace of Lopez. A posse then entered with a searchlight and returned with the verification of Sorenson's discovery. Apparently Lopez had moved to a new stronghold and dragged the bodies of his victims along with him.

Two Deputies Are Shot.

The men whom he shot today were Deputies Douglas Hulsey and Tom Mandrich, who late tonight were still where they fell. The deputies before entering the Andy tunnel of the mine this afternoon arranged a signal of four taps on a pipe line in case of distress. Shortly after the shooting, the signal was heard coming from one of the deputies. Then it ceased and was not repeated.

Arrangements were made tonight to try to bring out the two in a mine motor car, and it was expected this would precipitate another engagement with Lopez.

The shooting today occurred when a half dozen deputies penetrated the Andy tunnel 900 feet to light a fire to smoke out the desperado. As soon as Hulsey struck a match he was shot down by Lopez. In the exchange of shots that followed Mandrich fell and then the deputies retreated.

Doctor Crawls to Safety.

It was reported that Dr. David Ray, who was superintending the mixing of chemicals for the fire, had been shot also, but later he appeared at the mouth of the mine, having crawled from beside the fallen deputies on his hands and knees.

Lopez is in the Andy incline, which runs into the Andy tunnel.

Bert Jones and five guards on emerging from the Andy tunnel said that when the shooting began they retreated from their lights. The Mexican fired three shots at them. He could see them because of the lights in the tunnel, but they could not see Lopez. They fired in the direction of his fire, but apparently without effect. Then they shot out the lights in the tunnel, so that they could not be seen, and dashed past the opening to the incline, and reached the main portal of the mine.

DUKE OF MARLBOROUGH AND WIFE TO REUNITE

Differences Reported to Have Been Composed After Separation of Ten Years.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—The American prints a London cable that says the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough have composed their differences and soon will take up life together again. They have lived apart for 10 years.

The cablegram says Queen Mary has been instrumental in bringing them together. Other reasons said to have actuated the couple are their mutual love for their sons, now 17 and 15 years of age, and the very powerful one of the Duke's political ambitions.

He expects a big landslide against the Conservatives at the next elections, and hopes he may be swept into high office. This, he knows, says the cablegram, is impossible, so long as he is separated from his popular wife.

CHINESE OFFICIAL KILLS 4 GUARDS AFTER ATTACK

Fears Treachery Following Attempted Assassination in Which He Is Cut.

HONGKONG, Nov. 29.—Gen. Chi Kuang Lung, Governor of Canton, today for the second time within a fortnight was attacked by an assassin, who endeavored to plunge a knife into his heart. Gen. Lung escaped with a wound in the hand. He personally killed four of his guards, fearing treachery at their hands.

Serious trouble in Canton is anticipated shortly. The Chinese are apprehensive, and business is becoming stagnant. The police have been reinforced. Stores of bombs frequently are found in

DOCTOR REVIVED AFTER BEING 'DEAD' FOR 20 MINUTES

Colleague Tells of Finding J. M. Darden Unconscious in Downtown Office.

WAS OVERCOME BY FUMES

Dr. Claude Barnes Says He Was Unable to Detect Heart Action Even With Stethoscope.

Burns on the face and lips of Dr. John M. Darden of 5554 Delmar boulevard and cotton batting stuffed in his nostrils, have caused his friends in the past three days to make inquiries which have brought out the story of his resuscitation, after apparent death, by a colleague, Dr. Claude Barnes, in Dr. Darden's office in the Frisco Building late Wednesday night.

According to the story told by Dr Barnes to a policeman at the time, and repeated in more detail yesterday to a reporter, Dr. Darden was overcome by formaldehyde fumes while he was making an experiment with a device for instantaneous fumigation. He was saved, Dr. Barnes related, by the use of an electric oxygen machine and by rubbing and applications of ice, after the stethoscope, applied to his breast, had for 20 minutes failed to record a heartbeat.

Barnes Finds Darden Unconscious.

Dr. Barnes' office is on the third floor of the building, Dr. Darden's on the fourth. Both were in their offices late Wednesday night, and Dr. Darden called at Dr. Barnes' office to confer about some blood tests, then went upstairs, saying he would be back in about an hour. At 10:45, Dr. Barnes said, he went upstairs and entered his friend's office. He continued:

"Dr. Darden was lying on the floor, his head jammed between the operating chair and a medicine chest. I smelled formaldehyde and rushed through his waiting room into the operating room.

"Dr. Darden had all appearances of a dead man. His pulse had stopped and I couldn't hear his heart beat. I carried him downstairs to my office, wondering what the authorities would think of the affair if I had to telephone them that I had a dead physician in my office.

"I stripped Darden and placed upon his body an oxygen machine designed to change the body from negative to positive, so that the body only can receive asyphetic oxygen from the air. Then I placed the stethoscope on Darden's chest, but for 20 minutes I could not detect the heart beat.

"I virtually had given up hope and was upon the verge of telephoning the police. In a last desperate attempt I covered Dr. Darden's body with iced towels. A few minutes later I poked a finger under Darden's eye and detected a slight movement—a sign of life. Thirty minutes later Darden sat up, asked who struck him, and began resisting my efforts. He fought like a madman, and I subdued him with difficulty until I could explain the condition in which I had found him.

Policeman Attracted.

"Then I persuaded him to walk on the streets. He still was not himself, and my efforts to quiet him attracted a policeman, who asked me what I was doing.

"'I am a physician and this man is a physician,' I explained. 'He was overcome with fumes while experimenting and still is not himself.'

"At 2 a. m. Darden became himself, although quite ill from his experiences."

Darden declared it was fortunate Barnes had gone upstairs, as the night watchman was the only other person in the building at 11 p. m. "If Dr. Barnes had not found me, I have no doubt I would have been dead when discovered the next morning," he said.

"Usually, when experimenting with chemicals, I wear auto goggles over my eyes and an old football noseguard in which I stuff cotton. But Wednesday night I thought I would be in the room only a few minutes and neglected to protect my eyes and nose.

Suddenly Became Faint.

"Naturally my room was very close, so I paid little heed to that. Suddenly I became faint and dizzy-headed. I started to get into my private office where the window was up, and fell to the floor. I grasped the leg of my operating chair and pulled myself up a bit and that was the last I remembered until I found myself in Dr. Barnes' office."

Dr. Darden is a brother-in-law of Henry W. Blodgett, former Election Commissioner and former United States Attorney. Dr. Barnes resides in East St. Louis.

HOUSE TAKES UP REVELS

Will Investigate Liquor Selling to Young Football Fans.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Published charges that liquor was sold to "boys and girls" in the revels that followed the Georgetown-Virginia football game two weeks ago, are to be investigated by a committee of the House.

Representative Ben Johnson, who asked and obtained the passage of a resolution of investigation, said he considered the affair a "national disgrace." Many arrests of college students were made the night of the game, and more than $1000 was forfeited in small bail bonds.

Repudiates His Confession in Famous Rosenthal Murder Case



SAM SCHEPPS.

SAM SCHEPPS SAYS HE PERJURED SELF IN TRIAL OF BECKER

In Paris, He Prepares Affidavit and Offers to Sell for $10,000 Story That "Would Upset" Conviction of Police Lieutenant Under Death Sentence.

ASKS MRS. BECKER TO CONFER WITH HIM

Becker's Chief Argument in Appeal Is That Man Who Corroborated Jack Rose as to Rosenthal Killing Was Accomplice.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

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PARIS, Nov. 29.—Sam Scheppe is seeking a market for a story of the killing or Herman Rosenthal, the New York gambler, that will, he says, prove a repudiation of the story he told when on the witness stand at the trial of former Police Lieutenant Charles Becker, whose appeal from the sentence of death under which he now rests is to be argued Monday before the New York Court of Appeals.

Scheppe is living under the name of S. Morgan, at the Hotel Montfleury, 21 Avenue de la Grand Armee. He has offered his story to Mrs. Becker, and asks $10,000 for it. It is already in affidavit form, he says, and his most conservative statement regarding it is that it will upset the entire case as it now stands, and compel a new trial of Becker, and the four gunmen, Gyp the Blood, Lefty Louie, Whitey Louis and Dago Frank Cirofici, also under sentence of death.

Retains American Lawyer.

Charles Becker Fernald, an American lawyer of the firm of S. G. Archibald, 82 Boulevard Haussman, was retained yesterday by Scheppe, and the Post-Dispatch correspondent saw him in Fernald's office this afternoon. Scheppe seemed to have no doubt as to his own position in the situation. He clings doggedly to the stipulation of immunity given to him when his testimony afforded the corroboration needed for the story of the killing by Jack Rose, Bridgie Webber and Harry Vallon, on which Becker's conviction was obtained.

Scheppe says he wants to sell his story because he is "flat broke" and has contracted obligations in Paris which must be paid immediately. He added he was sorry for certain things he had said on the stand, and repeated his assurances that he "couldn't be touched" for anything he might say now.

He thinks his story would have been worth $50,000 before the New York mayoralty election, but hints he didn't offer it then because he had not made up his mind what he ought to do. He qualified this later, however, by saying he had sailed from New York on the Olympia Oct. 25, staying in London for two days, where he intimated that he had been open to offers.

Keeping himself carefully away from any direct statement regarding the character of his story, Scheppe today hinted that the affidavit he has made declares his testimony on the stand was false. He said quite positively that everything in it could be substantiated from the New York police blotters.

Fernald told the Post-Dispatch correspondent he did think the statements sworn to by Scheppe would result in a reopening of the case, although he did not think they would result in the acquittal of Becker. This indicated that, in Fernald's opinion, the affidavit directed itself chiefly against the corroborative quality of Sheppe' testimony at the trial. There was the further indication that since Scheppe' story, as it is now told, could have been substantiated at the trial, Scheppe easily could have been barred from the stand.

Would Fight Extradition.

Scheppe said he fully understood that he could be indicted for perjury and that on such an indictment could be extradited. He frankly admitted that he had come to France from England because he understood it would be harder to extradite him here. He says that if an attempt is made to extradite him he will fight and will "unload and unbelt" completely—tell absolutely all he knows about the Rosenthal case, going beyond the contents of his affidavit.

There is no suggestion that Scheppe has in mind any accusation regarding the trial itself, except the falsity of his own testimony. He denies that he has had any dealings with Becker's lawyers, or that they have had anything to do with his efforts at this time to sell his story. He says he proposed to Mrs. Becker that arrangements be made for him to tell the story, but that she replied only with a question as to what he knew. He signed himself S. Kaha in these messages, he says.

Scheppe Cables Mrs. Becker, "I Can Save Your Husband."

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—According to some of ex-Police Lieutenant Becker's friends Sam Scheppe recently has offered to come to Becker's assistance. Nov. 21, one of the friends asserted to

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RENOUNCES VOWS SO HUSBAND CAN WED GIRL HE LOVES

West Point Romance of Young Wife Shattered in Cleveland Divorce Court.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 29.—A demure little woman, scarcely out of her 'teens, today made the greatest sacrifice that could be asked of any woman—she released her husband from his marriage vows that he might marry the girl he loves. It did not take Judge Collister long to grant Mrs. Mignon Sharp Cooke a divorce from Lieut. Gilbert R. Cooke, U. S. A., but in those few minutes the lifelong dreams of a girl were shattered.

About two years ago Miss Sharp—she will be known by her maiden name from now on—then in New York studying voice culture, went to West Point to attend one of the "military hops." Cooke, a senior, was handsome and very attractive in his brass buttons and uniform, and, through a cousin, they met. It was "love at first sight."

Thereafter little side trips to New York became a regular part of Cooke's life, and it wasn't long until they left the "little church around the corner," married. Cooke's graduation and his assignment to a Texas post followed.

"I'll be back soon," he told his bride when he left, "and then we'll never be separated again."

Letters came and letters went, but the two were far apart in more ways than one. Another girl entered Cooke's life, and, that he might marry her, he wrote and asked Mignon for his release.

"And what else could I do?" she asked, plaintively, today. "I still loved him, but what is the love of one against that of two?"

A trip to the courthouse last fall followed. In a second trip she bared the inner details of her romance to Judge Collister, and a third today ended it. In a few minutes she was Miss Mignon Sharp again and Cooke was free to marry his second love.

Meanwhile, at her father's home, East 102d street, Miss Sharp will try to forget the past and its disappointments. Collister gave Miss Sharp $5 a week allmony for five years.

ROOSEVELT AT FRONTIER

Will Visit Lake 2000 Feet Up, That Is 30 Miles Long.

BUENOS AYRES, Nov. 29.—Argentine officials today met Col. Theodore Roosevelt at the frontier on his return from Chile. Col. Roosevelt now is going to Lake Nahuel-Haupi, the scource of the Limay River in Western Argentina.

The lake is at an elevation of 2000 feet and is 30 miles long.

BANK WRECKER IS FREED; PRISONER DE LUXE FOR YEAR

Robin Has Been Allowed to Leave Penitentiary Daily to Transact Business.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Joseph G. Robin, convicted of wrecking several banks of which he was president or directing head, has sworn vengeance on his former associates. He was released from Blackwell's Island today after serving, technically, one year in the penitentiary, and immediately will begin, or rather continue, his war on the men who he says were as guilty as he. Already he has won several big suits that have paved the way for recovery of considerable money lost by his banks in the crash of three years ago.

Robin has been a prisoner de luxe. After his conviction he was held at the Tombs eight or nine months and permitted under court order to spend his days in the office of the District Attorney, the United States Receiver in Bankruptcy or elsewhere. He was always under guard, at his own expense, and he dined in the nearby restaurants. His time was occupied in untangling the affairs of the banks that had collapsed with him. It is said that he has been instrumental in recovering a large amount of money for the depositors.

A published story that Robin made $1,000,000 while a prisoner is not seriously taken by those who have watched him.

In the few months Robin was supposed to have been a prisoner he was permitted to leave the prison every morning in time to catch the 9 o'clock boat, remain in the city transacting business until the 4 o'clock boat, and then return to the prison for the night.

DR. WILLIAMS ELECTED BY TEACHERS OF JOURNALISM

Dean of Pulitzer School, Chosen to Head National Organization.

MADISON, Wis., Nov. 29.—Dr. Talcott Williams, dean of the Pulitzer School of Journalism in Columbia University, today was elected president of the American Conference of Teachers of Journalism.

Other officers elected are: Vice-president, F. L. Martin, University of Missouri; secretary and treasurer, James Melvin Lee, New York University; Executive Committee, W. G. Bleyer, University of Wisconsin, and J. W. Piercy, University of Indiana.

MEXICO CITY CUT OFF FROM NORTH; NEW PERIL LOOMS

Zapata Increases Activity on South and Plot Is Discovered in Capital.

6000 REBELS CONCENTRATE

Force Gathers at Victoria — Federal Commander in Straights.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Under pressure of Constitutionalist armies in the north advancing on Chihuahua, the most important military defense that now stands between the Mexican capital and the border and the menacing activities of the Zapatistas to the south, the situation of the Huerta Government in Mexico City was believed by officials here tonight to be more critical than usual.

Efforts of Gen. Huerta to obtain funds for the payment of accrued interest on National Railroad bonds were regarded as serving to demonstrate the deterrent effect upon foreign capital of the attitude of the American Government towards speculators who would risk their money to get exorbitant profits at this stage in the great national tragedy.

Mexico City Isolated.

Mexico City, according to advices here, is almost isolated from the northern half of Mexico. State Department reports show that while rail communication is still open between Laredo, on the Rio Grande, and Monterey, mail and telegraph matter cannot get southward beyond the latter point except to Saltillo. Fearing the speedy close of this last avenue of escape, Americans and other foreigners in Monterey are reported to be crowding the trains starting for the American border.

A report that Senor Moheno, the Huerta Secretary of Foreign Affairs, had gone to Vera Cruz to confer with John Lind upon the arrival at that port of President Wilson's personal representative, aroused interest at the State Department. It was believed here that Senor Moheno might be charged with fresh propositions to lay before the American Government through Lind.

REBELS MENACE SAN LUIS POTOSI

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 29.—San Luis Potosi, the largest town between the capital and Monterey, and the most important railway center in Central Mexico, appears to be the objective point of those rebels who recently began concentrating south of Saltillo. Reports from the state of Tamaulipas indicate that the concentration of rebels at Victoria has brought together more than 6000 men and that Gen. Rubio Navarrete, the Federal commander, who intended to recapture Victoria, is in a difficult situation north of that town.

West of San Luis Potosi in the State of Guanajuato, on the Penjamo branch of the National Railways, Constitutionalists today burned the new $20,000 station. Another troop train was blown up near San Luis Potosi yesterday. Private advices indicate the presence of 1000 rebels within striking distance of that city.

So great has become the domination of the rebels in the gulf coast oil regions, that it is said that on their demand the Mexican Railway, a British corporation of Vera Cruz and Mexico City, has agreed not to haul any more fuel oil intended for the National Railways. If the rebels succeed in enforcing their demand it will seriously cripple Federal military operations.

Plot Against Huerta Discovered; Prison Officers Arrested.

VERA CRUZ, Mexico, Nov. 29.—Maj. Garcia de la Cadena and Lieut. de la Pena, the Governor and the Commander of the Guard of Santiago Military Prison in Mexico City, arrived here today in charge of a strong detail of soldiers of the presidential guard and were taken on board the gunboat Vera Cruz, bound for the penal colony of Quintana Roo, Yucatan.

The arrest of the two officers was the result of the discovery in the prison of a serious anti-Huerta conspiracy, the intention being to arm and release all the prisoners and then co-operate with bodies of disaffected troops in an attack on the national palace. The arrests were made yesterday afternoon at the discovery of the plot.

British Warship Sent to Mexican Waters From Victoria.

VICTORIA, British Columbia, Nov. 29.—The British warship Shearwater left here today for Mexican waters, in place of the sloop-of-war Algerine, which was obliged to return this week, when her port propeller was lost.

Paris Temps Says Time Has Come to End the Warfare.

PARIS, Nov. 29.—The Paris Temps today prints a vigorous editorial on the "anarchy in Mexico." In concluding it says:

"In the presence of death, destruction and ruin, the moment appears to have been reached when humanity and general interest command all the Powers to take concerted action with the United States to compel all parties in Mexico to lay down their arms and bring an end to the intolerable situation."

Mexican National Railways to Pay Interest on $30,000,000.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—The National Railways of Mexico will pay the interest due Monday on its $30,000,000 two-year 6 per cent notes, according to an announcement made at the company's offices today.

White House Bridal Pair Elude Crowd at Pier, Sail for Europe

President Visits Them on Ship



MR. and MRS. FRANCIS B. SAYRE.

Specially Decorated Gang Plank and Band Misleads Curious; Honeymooners Board Liner by Regular Entryway.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—The White House bride and bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, sailed today on the steamship George Washington of the North German Lloyd Line from Hoboken. The ship was decorated in their honor with a string of signal pennants that stretched from bow to stern.

President Wilson drove up to the pier at 9:05 o'clock, accompanied by Miss Eleanor Wilson, Dr. Cary T. Grayson and Secretary Tumulty. Following the President's automobile was another containing secret service men.

As the President walked up the special gang plank the ship's band struck up Mendelssohn's wedding march and the President was made the target of the camera men, who then strained their eyes for a glimpse of the "honeymooners." A special gangway, decorated with flags, had been provided for the two, and at the top was grouped the ship's band, ready to serenade them as they boarded the vessel.

Sayres Board Ship Secretly.

On the promenade, lined up along the rail near the special gangway, was a small army of photographers and moving picture men, waiting to take "shots" at Sayre and his bride, but they were disappointed, as the young couple slipped on board by another gang plank.

The suite of the President's daughter and her husband was on the promenade deck. The door was draped with a large American flag and a card announced that the suite was occupied by "Herr F. Sayre und Frau."

Sayre opened the window and looked out, his face wreathed in smiles.

"I am sorry that I have nothing to say," he said. "No, there is not a chance of getting us to pose for a picture.

"Tell us how you got on board the ship without the photographers seeing you?" asked the reporters.

"Oh," he chuckled, "we left the car and slipped up the main gang plank with the crowd. "Why, there were two photographers walking just ahead of us."

The President departed after a short visit. He was greeted with a volley of cheers as he appeared on deck. Just before the ship sailed General Manager Helmot of the line presented a magnificent bunch of roses to the bride. Other gifts of flowers and candy were arriving in a steady stream up to the time the boat sailed.

Expected to Visit England.

Not until the George Washington was backing into the river did the Sayres show themselves. Then they were seen on the bridge alongside Capt. Louis Francke, commander of the ship.

It is believed the Sayres will leave the ship at Plymouth and go from there to Lynmouth, a quaint little fishing village on the English Channel, where President Wilson spent several vacations when he was president of Princeton University. Mrs. Sayres visited there when a girl and is said to have become very fond of the place.

Mrs. Sayre's Letter of Thanks Read in the House.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—A letter from Mrs. Sayres, formerly Miss Jessie Woodrow Wilson, daughter of the President, expressing her appreciation for the diamond necklace, the gift of the members of the House, was read in that body today. It was dated from the White House, Nov. 21, and is as follows:

"My Dear Mr. Speaker: May I not express to you very warmly my deep feeling of the honor the members of the House have paid me in presenting me with the beautiful diamond necklace which was brought to me yesterday in a setting worthy of its beauty. I shall preserve this gift all my life as an evidence of generosity not only, but of singular courtesy and thoughtfulness on the part of yourself and other members of the House. I beg that you will convey to the members my sense of deep obligation and lasting pleasure. Mr. Sayre joins me in warm appreciation and thanks.

"Cordially and sincerely yours,
"JESSIE WOODROW WILSON."

Team Owners to Give Ball.

A committee of the St. Louis Team Owners' Association is completing arrangements for their twenty-second annual ball, which will be held Tuesday evening, Dec. 16, at Trimp's Hall. Edward Weber is president and Farwell Walton is chairman of the committee.

Blood Humors

Cause all sorts of trouble with the bodily organs—boils, pimples, sores and other eruptions, scales, scabs, etc.—all of which are relieved, as thousands testify, by HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA.

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KNOTHOLES AND A FIRE DEATH BLOW TO FAMED SALOON

Guion's Sixth Street Place, Long a Rendezvous for Politicians, to Close.

PROFITS AND SECRECY FLY

Party Leaders Didn't Like Perforated Walls—Owner Sues for Delay in Repairs.

Lou Guion's saloon at 215 North Sixth street, having gone up like a rocket, is coming down like a stick. Edward E. Guion, better known as "Lou" Guion, who for a brief and busy season was "mein host" to everybody whose name is in the "who's who" of local politics, now sits among the ruins of his former greatness.

To pass the time away Guion idly speculates as to whether the next fly that comes in will light on the bartender's bald head or on the spot on the counter where the last glass of beer was served an hour before.

Occasionally, but not often, a customer enters, wakes the bartender and buys something, asks what's become of the "bunch," turns up his overcat collar and walks out.

Not long ago the scene there was different.

"Guion's back room" was a byword among politicians. It was in turn the unofficial Cowherd and Norvell headquarters, and, after Norvell was beaten, certain supporters of Dr. Simon, Democratic candidate for Mayor last spring, held many meetings there.

Conjuring back those glorious days, Guion disconsolately says he made the mistake of getting on "dead ones." Cowherd was beaten for the gubernatorial nomination. Norvell failed to capture the mayoralty nomination and Simon was defeated by Kiel.

"I might have known it," said Guion. "When a saloonkeeper tries to mix business with politics, the result is a quinine cocktail that leaves a bad taste in his mouth."

Swings Cowherd Cohorts His Way.

Guion had been operating the saloon only a few months when the Cowherd boom was launched in the late summer of 1912. He had many political affiliations, which helped swing the Cowherd cohorts his way. He had been sergeant-at-arms of the Jefferson Club in its powerful days, a member of the Democratic City Central Committe and for many years a constable and a leader in the old Sixth Ward.

In addition he had had some experience in the saloon business, for he will proudly tell you that the convention, or maybe it was a caucus, at which that peerless statesman and undertaker, John P. Collins, received at the hands of the people his first nomination for the State Senate, was held in a room back of a saloon which Guion operated at Nineteenth and Market streets.

It was a matter of common report that the Cowherd headquarters in the fall of 1912 and the Norvell headquarters in the spring of 1913 were at the Planters Hotel. But the wise politician knows better. He will tell you that the real headquarters of both these ill-fated candidates for candidacies was in reality in the famous "Guion back room."

Cowherd himself on his visits from Kansas City often went there to confer with his lieutenants. In the campaign for the mayoralty nomination, Harry B. Hawes laid many of his wires from Guion's "back room," and Thomas B. Harvey, running successfully for the Circuit Attorneyship and candidates for the Circuit Judgeship, were among those who dropped into the "back room" almost daily.

All day and until the legal closing hour of 1 a. m., there was a merry tinkle of glasses and a merrier clink of coin on the mahogany in the barroom, while the cohorts waited expectantly for a hint as to what the "big fellows" were doing inside.

Then Came Knotholes and Fire.

Even after the Democratic defeat last spring the politicians did not desert Guion's, and there were many secret meetings there to devise means of reviving the local Democracy.

Then came knotholes and a fire to rob Guion's of its prestige. A building back of Guion's place was demolished. One wall of the famous Council chamber was a part of this adjoining building. This wall was torn out and replaced by a pine partition with knotholes, which marked the beginning of the end of Guion's place. What chance was there to hold important secret meetings and caucuses in a room, one of whose walls was honeycombed with knotholes?

While a meeting was in session someone would come running in and whisper:

"Nixie. One of Stifel's men is out in the alley with his ear at a knothole."

It was speedily noised about that the secret council chamber was no longer secret. Then came a fire which destroyed the wall and the knotholes. Until the insurance was adjusted a temporary wall of flimsy canvas was put up. This soon became torn and weather-beaten and it was all off with Guion's. Politicians planning long conferences would take one look at the canvas wall and say: "Let's go somewhere else."

No more did they crowd the barroom so that the bartenders had to pass out the drinks and the change on wooden paddles because their arms weren't long enough to reach the customers in the back rows.

Now Guion is done with the saloon business. He is suing the Independent Breweries Co. and other lessors for $1000 damages because of the delay in repairing the "secret council chamber" after the fire, and for substituting knotholes and flimsy canvas for the sound-proof brick wall. His lease runs out in a few months and Guion will go out of the saloon business at the same time.

WOMAN, 91, DEAD FROM GAS ALONE IN HOME FOR A WEEK

Body Found When Postman Notices Her Mail Box Has Not Been Emptied.

RECLUSE FOR 18 YEARS

Neighbors Believe Mrs. Anna Bain Had Real Estate Investments.

Mrs. Anna Bridget Bain, 91 years old, a recluse, living at 1515 East College avenue, was found dead in bed from asphyxiation yesterday by policemen called after a letter carrier, noticing that her mail box had become filled with letters, detected the odor of gas.

The postman called John C. Dauch, a butcher at 1522 East College avenue, who also smelled the gas, and who recalled that although for many years it had been the aged woman's custom to visit his shop daily, she had not been there for a week.

Mrs. Bain owned the house in which she lived and had resided there more than 30 years. Her only means of support was a soldier's widow's pension. Her husband died 18 years ago. She had lived alone since that time.

Neighbors said yesterday they had understood that Mrs. Bain had a little money invested in real estate, but they could give no estimate of the amount, as she told little of her affairs, and did not visit them except at infrequent intervals. They had heard her speak of a nephew, but did not know where he resided.

She seldom left the house, neighbors said, except to do her marketing.

After the body was found Mrs. Margaret Luken, a neighbor at 1513 East College avenue, told the police she had smelled gas for nearly a week, and had looked about her house, believing there was a leak in a pipe. She also recalled that she had not seen a light in Mrs. Bain's house the last week.

Public Administrator Newell took charge of the contents of the house, saying that he would relinquish possession if a will was found naming another administrator. The body is at the morgue.

Congress' Longest Extra Session Ends; New One Tomorrow

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be added at a session to begin at 3 o'clock tomorrow.

Majority Ranks Solidified.

The special session, opening a month after the Democratic forces took complete control of the Government, began with a reorganization of party leadership in the Senate which overthrew precedent and brought the so-called progressives forces into control and throughout the contests on tariff and currency the session has been marked by solidification of the Democratic ranks.

Demands of the Democratic leaders that the currency bill be passed at once brings the extra session to a stirring close. Day and night sessions of the Senate are promised for the new session until currency legislation is concluded.

Although President Wilson urged the Congress just closed to hold itself to the two chief projects, tariff and currency, several other matters of general importance have been considered. One important legislative act was the so-called Newlands law of mediation and conciliation in labor disputes. Under this enactment Federal arbitrators were able to avert the threatened strike of trainmen on Eastern railroads last summer which was calculated to tie up American commerce and industry for an unlimited time.

Commerce Court Abolished.

The abolishment of the United States Comerce Court also was accomplished through an amendment to the deficiency appropriation bill. Another appropriation bill "rider" took out of the classified civil service most of the deputy United States Marshals and deputy collectors of internal revenue. Exemption of labor unions from prosecution under the anti-trust laws so far as certain funds were concerned also was accomplished.

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'DIGESTIVE DANCE' TRIPPED BY DINERS BETWEEN COURSES

Guests at Columbian Club Ball Take Oyster Cocktails, Then Do the Castle Walk.

Guests at the Columbian Club's first formal ball of the season last night gave a new name to a society fad. This time it is the "Digestvie Dance," so named because they danced between each course of the dinner.

After an oyster cocktail had been served, the guests quit their tables and did the castle walk. Then they returned to the tables for bouillon, eating while watching the dancing of Ruth St. Denis on the stage. After bouillon, the hesitation waltz then another course and dance by Miss St. Denis, and then the castle walk again, throughout the six courses.

Miss St. Denis repeated the Hindu, Japanese and modern dances she presented Friday night at the Symphony concert at the Odeon. Her dances, in their order, were "Arranging the Flowers," "A Dance in the Palace of Pharoah," "The Dance of the Blue Flame," and "The Dance of the Rosebuds." As an encore she danced the "Al Fresco," one of her new steps set to Victor Herbert's music in "It Happened in Nordland." Miss St. Denis was accompanied on the piano by McNair Ilgenfritz, a young St. Louis artist who has joined her forces for the season.

About 300 guests were at the ball. A. C. Einstein, president of the Columbian Club, had the ballroom divided into a dining room and a dancing room. The dance floor was in the center of the ballroom, and separated from the tables by a railing made of vines and flowers.

MISSOURIAN IS CONVICTED

W. J. Collins, of Braymer Found Guilty of Murder in Canada.

BRAYMER, Mo., Nov. 29.—William Jasper Collins was convicted in Calgary, Canada, of the murder of J. F. Benson, a former Braymer attorney, according to word received here tonight. He was sentenced to hang Feb. 17.

Collins, who was 19 years old, had gone with Benson from Braymer to take a claim near Cereal, where he is alleged to have murdered Benson for his money. The crime occurred May 2, last. Collins returned to Braymer and was extradited by the Canadian Government.

Street Car Overturns Auto.

The automobile of Dr. J. M. Benson of 1908 Goode avenue, a negro physician, was overturned by a Vandeventer car at the crossing of Page boulevard at 9:30 last night. Mrs. Benson, Marcus Gillian and his wife and Charles Phillips, who were in the machine with Dr. Benson, were thrown out, and Gillian's skull was fractured. None of the others was seriously hurt. Gillian was taken to the city hospital.

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If your druggist won't supply you, send 25 cents and we will mail you a package direct. Judge & Dolph Drug Co., 8th and Olive sts., 7th and Locust sts., Broadway and Washington av.

FATHER ALTHOFF BISHOP-ELECT OF BELLEVILLE SEE

Monsignor Bonzano Sends Word of Okawville (Ill.) Rector's Appointment.

The Rev. Father J. H. Schlarmann, chancellor of the Belleville diocese of the Catholic Church, received word from Monsignor Bonzano, apostolic delegate at Washington, that the Rev. Father Henry Althoff, rector of St. Barbara's Church at Okawville, Ill., had been named Bishop of the Belleville See by the Vatican at Rome.

Bishop-elect Althoff is a native of Aviston, Ill., and one of the youngest Bishops in Illinois. He is 40. His title will be Bishop-elect until he is consecrated. The date for this service will be decided upon after a conference between the new appointee and Archbishop Quigley of Chicago.

The new Bishop was chosen from a list of 12 names submitted to the Vatican. Six of these names were sent in by the priests of the diocese and six by the other Bishops of the State. Bishop Janssen died July 2 last, and within two weeks this list of candidates had been forwarded to Rome. The list of names submitted to Rome has never been revealed.

Since the death of Bishop Janssen, Vicar-General William Cluse of Okawville has been acting as Bishop.

Bishop-elect Althoff received his early education in the parochial schools of Aviston. He completed a classical course in a college at Teutopolis, Ill., and a course in philosophy at Quincy. His theological education was completed at Innsbruck, Austria.

Schepps Says He Committed Perjury in Becker Trial

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night, Mrs. Becker received a cablegram from Paris, to which Schepps' name was signed, reading: "I can save your husband."

Mrs. Becker showed the message to friends, and on their advice, they say, sent a reply asking Schepps what he knew. Last Monday there came a response, also signed "Sam Schepps," which read: "Come over. Cannot write or cable what I want to tell you."

Mrs. Becker has not yet determined what course to take.

One of the principal arguments in Becker's appeal for a new trial, which will be presented next week, is that Schepps was an accomplice.

How Schepps Corroborated Rose, Weber and Vallon.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Schepps' corroboration of Rose, Weber and Vallon was on seven points of their story. These points were the following:

That two weeks before the killing of Rosenthal, on July 16, 1912, he was with the three men when they met Becker at Seventh avenue and 124th street. The others said the killing of Rosenthal was discussed at that time. Schepps declared he took no part in the conversation.

That he was with Rose, Weber and Vallon at the Lafayette Baths the day before the shooting, when, the others testified, they heard from Becker it had become necessary to "get" Rosenthal.

That he went with Rose and Vallon a few hours before the shooting to the home of Dora Gilbert, Rosenthal's former wife, to get from her an affidavit concerning Rosenthal.

That Rose did bring the four gunmen from Harlem to Weber's gambling house at Sixth avenue and Forty-second street, and that Weber did tell the gunmen that Rosenthal was in the Hotel Metropole.

That he saw the gunmen go from Weber's place, and that shortly afterward he heard shots from the vicinity of the Metropole and was told that Rosenthal had been killed.

That after the killing Rose went to the home of Harry Pollok; that Rose sent him from there to see Becker, and that Becker told him: "You go back and tell Rose that there is nothing for him to do but sit tight; I will take care of everything."

That he saw Weber and Rose pay money to Lefty Louie, the leader of the gunmen, the afternoon of the day Rosenthal was shot, although declaring that he did not know what the payment was for.

The admission of Schepps' testimony, after he had fled the city and had been brought back from Hot Springs, Ark., was bitterly contested. When its admission had been ordered by Justice Goff, it was attacked further on the ground that, while in the West Side Prison, he had conspired with Rose, Weber and Vallon to "frame Becker up."

WOMAN SHOPPER SAYS MIND WAS BLANK 4 DAYS

Tells Policeman She Came From Dupo, Ill., Tuesday and That Ring and $4 Are Missing.

A well-dressed woman addressed Patrolman Bennett at Eight and Locust streets at 8 o'clock last night with the remarkable declaration that, until a few minutes before, her mind had been blank since Tuesday afternoon. She said she was Mrs. Gladys Mills of Dupo, Ill.

She related that she came to St. Louis to do some shopping, and remembered waiting in East St. Louis to take a car for her home. What had happened since she declared she did not know, but she said that her $25 pearl ring and $4 were missing.

She said her husband was Roy Mills and that she had a two-year-old child. She received quarters for the night in the police matron's department at the Central District station.

MANY SEE MAN SHOT AFTER BEING CALLED TO DOOR

In the presence of a score of [illegible] and children, Alex Benda, [illegible] of a Roumanian boarding house at [illegible] ond street and Monument avenue, was shot through the head last [illegible] when he answered a knock at the [illegible] of his dining room.

Policemen, firing their revolvers, pursued two men to a quarry [illegible] mile away before capturing them. They said they were Jim Ferda and [illegible] Braser, and each accused the other of shooting Benda. Physicians at St. Joseph's Hospital said the bullet passed through his brain from the forehead to the back of the head and that death was a matter of hours.

The boarders had just finished dinner when they heard footsteps on the back stairs and a rap at the door. As Benda opened the door a shot was heard.

The attack caused such confusion that when Night Captain Michael Gorman arrived an attempt was made to throw him downstairs. He had to use his revolver as a club in order to make his way to the wounded man.

The police said that Benda, a [illegible] ago, ejected a boarder.

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MRS. GREER TELLS OF DEAL ON WHICH SHE SUES HUGHES

Plaintiff Files New Petition Alleging She Had Doctor Invest Money for Her.

HELD VAN CLEAVE'S NOTE

Complainant Says Alienist Told Her Stock to Secure Loan Earned Large Dividends.

Details of the business transaction which resulted in the suit for $10,000 filed Sept. 21 by Mrs. Annette C. Greer, wife of Edward W. Greer, a real estate man, and divorced wife of Russell E. Gardner, against Dr. Marc Ray Hughes, an alienist, were revealed yesterday for the first time when Mrs. Greer filed an amended petition in the Circuit Court.

Mrs. Greer increases the amount asked for from Dr. Hughes to $10,850, and alleges that she gave it to him to invest for her in September, 1911, and that she relied on his statements as to the safety of the investment. She alleges the security given by him is not sufficient.

The identity of Mrs. Greer did not become known until less than a week ago when Vital W. Garesche, attorney for Dr. Hughes, sought to obtain service on her to give a deposition.

Money Loaned on Stocks.

A statement by Dr. Hughes at that time that he was not acquainted with Mrs. Greer and could not account for the suit was a surprise to friends of both, who recalled that Dr. Hughes and Mrs. Gardner, before she remarried, were close friends, and were frequently guests at the same social gatherings.

Mrs. Greer, in her amended petition, alleges that she gave the money to Dr. Hughes to be loaned on stock of the Van Cleave Lumber Co., which, she states Dr. Hughes represented to her, was earnings large dividends, and in which he said he had invested $30,000.

The petition states that she later learned that at that time Benjamin Van Cleave, president of the company, owed Dr. Hughes a note for $10,000, and that without her knowledge Dr. Hughes had transferred this indebtedness to herself.

Says Note Is Unpaid.

Mrs. Greer says the Van Cleave note has not been paid and that the stock given as security for it has little value. She says that although she has tendered the note and stock to Dr. Hughes with a demand for the return of her $10,000, he has refused to return it.

In setting out the details of the transactions, Mrs. Greer says in her petition that Dr. Hughes for a long time was her physician, and acted as her agent and adviser in financial matters. She says she had great confidence in his advice.

In return for the making of a note by Van Cleave to Mrs. Gardner, now Mrs. Greer, the petition alleges, Dr. Hughes surrendered to Van Cleave the note held by him and canceled Van Cleave's indebtedness to him. The stock appended to the new note had a par value of $20,000.

New Note Made by Van Cleave.

Mrs. Greer held the note and stock until Aug. 12, 1912, when, she says, she delivered them to Dr. Hughes on his statement that he desired to have issued in place of the stock certificates new certificates in the reorganized lumber company. She says she received another note dated back to September, 1911, and new certificates of stock. She says she has been unable to realize $10,000 on these certificates.

Mrs. Greer alleges that Dr. Hughes is liable for the money, and that he at all times knew that the note and stock were not sufficient security.

ORDER FOR RELEASE OF ZELAYA LIKELY MONDAY

Liberty, However, Will Be Short-Lived as Rearrest Will Follow Immediately.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Gen. Jose Santos Zelaya's release under the habeas corpus proceedings before Judge Holt in the United States Court on Monday is thought to be likely, even by some of the Government attorneys.

His liberty will be short-lived, however, it was hinted today, because the officials in the Department of Justice, who caused his arrest Wednesday night, expect orders to immediately take him prisoner again on new charges.

It was pointed out that under the extradition treaty the United States Government is obliged to keep Zelaya in custody pending the arrival from Nicaragua of authenticated copies of the charges against him. These will not arrive inside of two weeks. The only questions to be decided by the court at this time, it was said, are those relating to the compliance with the provisions of the treaty relating to a "provisional arrest."

It was rumored that Zelaya might be turned over to the Department of Immigration to be dealt with under the rules applying to undesirable aliens. It was also said that in view of the fact that the Nicaraguans had apparently not objected to Zelaya's residence in Spain, there might be an agreement to drop the extradition proceedings on his agreeing to leave the United States.

Man Takes Bichloride.

Albert Thoensing, a porter 25 years old, of 2911 Lucas avenue, last night swallowed several bichloride of mercury tablets dissolved in water. He was removed to the city hospital, where his condition is considered serious. No reason was given by him.

WIFE SAYS SLIDES IN CULEBRA CAUSED GAILLARD COLLAPSE

Colonel's Health Broken by Loss of Sleep Due to Efforts to Solve Panama Problem.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 29.—When Gamboa dike was blown up, Lieutenant-Colonel David Dubois Gaillard, U. S. A., the builder of that section, the most difficult work in the construction of the Panama Canal, lay in a state of coma at the Phipps Psychiatric Institute at the Johns Hopkins Hospital in this city.

For several months Col. Gaillard has been lying there, scarcely living. His wife is constantly at his bedside and his son, Lieut. David R. Gaillard, is there as much as he can possibly be. Often word is sent out that he is fast sinking, but he just lives on.

Col. Gaillard had charge of the construction of the central part of the canal, embracing Culebra cut, the Gatun dam and the Gamboa dike.

Culebra Slides Caused Breakdown.

"People will say," declared Mrs. Gaillard, "that it was a great disappointment to Col. Gaillard not to be able to see the water flow into the great Culebra cut, but it is not. He was the man who made the great cut and the letting in of the water is only an unimportant detail."

It was the slides in Culebra cut, the difficulty in combating them and the constant danger in which their sudden occurrence placed the men under his charge that caused the Colonel's mental breakdown, according to his wife.

Mrs. Gaillard told how he worked and worked night and day in his determination to devise preventive measures.

"He would study over plans and issue directions for this or that work every day until late at night and then he would find that he would have to get up to catch a very early train for some other point next morning," Mrs. Gaillard said. "He was always missing sleep, but he did not seem to mind it if he found the work progressing satisfactorily.

"It was the completion of the Culebra Cut that occupied his mind at all times; no one could make him sleep, consequently he broke down."

Ordered to Leave Panama.

As a matter of fact, Col. Gaillard had to be torn from his work. A giant physically, he refused to leave until he received peremptory orders from Secretary of War Garrison to take a long leave of absence.

Then he was brought to the Phipps Psychiatric clinic, where it was expected he would receive the personal attention of Dr. Adolph Meyer, director and famous expert. Dr. Meyer, however, was abroad and after several weeks at the clinic, Col. Gaillard was taken to Boston, where an operation was performed by Dr. Carl Cashion. He was afterwards brought back to the Phipps clinic, considerably worse, his death being looked for at any moment.

Col. Gaillard at intervals arouses from complete unconsciousness into a state of semi-coma, but is not able to recognize even his wife or son.

PANAMA CANAL EXPERT WHO SUFFERED COLLAPSE



MAJ. DAVID DU BOSE GAILLARD...

Panama Canal Nearly Blocked by New Slide in Culebra Cut.

PANAMA, Nov. 29.—The Cucaracha slide has developed a fresh movement downward, nearly closing the channel which has been maintained through it for the last six weeks. This channel has been sufficient to allow the passage of tugs and launches. Tugs which went through yesterday scraped the bottom for several hundred feet.

A further movement of the slide probably will result in the blocking of the channel. One of the dredges has been moved out of the zone of danger.

Aged General Dead.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 29.—William J Smith, Brevet Brigadier-General of the Union army during the Civil War, was stricken with heart trouble and fell dead in the street here today. He was a veteran of the Mexican War, a member from Tennessee of the Forty-first Congress, and at his death was president of the Memphis Bank. At the outbreak of the Civil War he enlisted as a private. He was 90 years old.

BIBLE STUDENT, WED TO MISSOURI GIRL, A BIGAMIST

Arrested When Walking With Bride on Honeymoon in Pennsylvania.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PLATTSBURG, Mo., Nov. 29.—Thomas W. Hilton of Chicago, who is being brought here from Pennsylvania by the Sheriff of Clinton County, is alleged to have married unlawfully Miss Susie E. Hoover of this place. Hilton and Miss Hoover were married Nov. 5, by the Rev. D. D. Sell at his home in this city. The couple departed that morning for Chicago and the East.

A few days later a woman near Chillicothe, Mo., communicated with the Hoover family here, saying she had been married to Hilton and had then found he had another wife in the East and several children. The Hoover family caused the arrest of Hilton in Pennsylvania.

Hilton came here some time ago and posed as a ministerial student from Bethany Bible School, near Chicago. Several years ago he had worked on the large Hoover farms north of this city. S. G. Hoover, the father of the girl, is a wealthy farmer and the family takes much interest in religious work. Miss Susie Hoover cared little for society, but was a devoted religious worker. Hilton visited the home as a student from the college of the church to which the Hoovers belong. He joined actively in their religious work.

According to dispatches from Chambersburg, Pa., Hilton was arrested when walking with his bride. He says he gave a Chicago attorney $45 to get a divorce from the second wife in 30 days. He explains he married Miss Hoover before the decree was granted so he would not break his promise to wed her. As to the first wife, he asserts he was assured that he was free to marry the second time because he had been separated from her three years.

Fire in Metropolitan Art Museum.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—A small fire in the basement of the Metropolitan Museum of Art late today caused Robert W. DeForest, president, and Henry Kent, secretary of the museum, to hurry through the building and assure visitors there was no danger of the flames spreading to the upper halls, wherein millions of dollars' worth of paintings and statuary are on exhibition.

Hundreds of persons in St. Louis today—NOW—are looking over the Big Boarders' Directory in today's Want Columns. Are YOUR spare rooms listed there?

PARENTS OF GIRL WHO ELOPED SEND HER "KEEPSAKES"

Trunk Filled With Clothes and Childhood Relics Shipped to Unfavored Groom.

A large trunk, carefully packed by a heart-broken father and mother, yesterday afternoon took from the home of John Gilben, 3858 Washington boulevard, every physical reminder of their daughter, Amelia, 20 years old, who eloped in an automobile Friday night to marry Amos Pickering. Into the trunk they put not only her clothing, but her toys, her dolls, her little rocking chair, her miniature set of dishes and all the things she had played with as a child and which the parents had treasured since she outgrew them.

And on top, where she will find it when she first opens the trunk, is a letter written by the father to his only child as follows:

"If ever you need any help, don't hesitate to call on me. I will do anything for you that it is possible for me to do. You have gone against my advice, and have almost killed your mother, and whatever happens, you must take the responsibility. That is a matter between you and your God But you are my daughter still, and my heart is always open to you."

The father said he had sent the trunk to the garage of the Lewis Automobile Co., where Pickering was employed. He said Pickering, to whom his daughter was married in Clayton Friday night, was 22 years old, and came from Wheeling, W. Va., about a year ago with Mrs. Gilhen's nephew, Louis Hayes. Since that time he had boarded at the Gilhen home.

About a month ago, he said, he first noticed an attachment between his daughter and Pickering, and last Monday Mrs. Gilhen told Pickering to leave. Pickering went to the garage, where he stayed until Friday. Wednesday Mrs. Gilhen spent the greater part of the night pleading with her daughter to give up the idea of marrying Pickering.

Friday night Millie was allowed to leave the house in company with Joseph Leguerrier, who was visiting there, and as they walked down the street toward Grand avenue her escort was rushed by three men, one of them Pickering, while the girl was put into an automobile and sped away.

Boeschenstein Is for Sullivan.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Charles Boeschenstein of Edwardsville, Ill., Democratic National Committeeman, denied here today that he would be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator. He said he and the regular Democratic organization would support the candidacy of Roger C. Sullivan.

DEATH OF DANCER DURING WALTZ DUE TO HEART DISEASE

The death of Joseph L. Barron, 25 years old, of 5246A Paulin avenue, who collapsed in the midst of a waltz at the Bank Clerks' Association ball at Trimp's Hall, 4460 Delmar avenue, Friday night, must have been due to heart disease, members of his family said last night.

He had never told them of suffering from heart trouble, but, his brother, William, said, they could not account for his death in any other way.

Barron died a few minutes after a young woman with whom he was dancing assisted him to a chair. While his body lay in an anteroom the ball continued, few of those in the room knowing of his collapse.

Barron resided with his mother and brother. He visited the hall once or twice each week, and was fond of dancing.

He seemed to be feeling well when the dance began Trimp said yesterday. Trimp said he heard him remark as the music started: "I feel so good tonight that I could dance myself to death."

He was dancing with a Miss Parsons, Trimp explained, and five minutes after the music started, collapsed. The young woman caught him and aided him to a chair.

Censure of Militants Stopped.

BOCHUM, Germany, Nov. 29.—A resolution disapproving the excesses of the British militant suffragettes was proposed by the delegates from Breslau to the Congress of German woman suffrage associations which opened here today. The Congress rejected the motion as being beyond the competence of the German associations.

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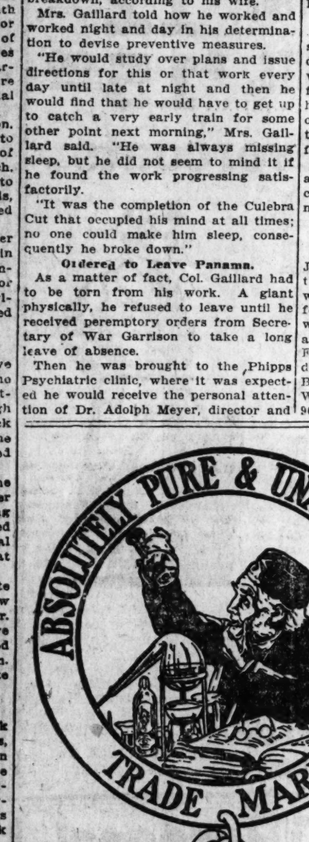
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Enjoys Good Health at 89

Mr. John Henley, Sr., of Henley, Mo., in a recent letter said: "I have been using Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey for the past 9 years and I have been enjoying good health. I am 89 years old and I can not say too much in favor of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, which is a good medicine."

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"I have used Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey a good many years, and I find it gives me great strength and a good appetite. I am now 102 years old and in very good health for one of my years."—Mrs. Mary A. Simpson, 333 De Graw St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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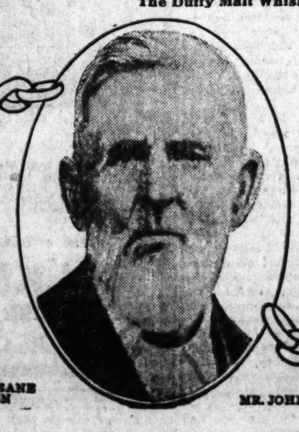
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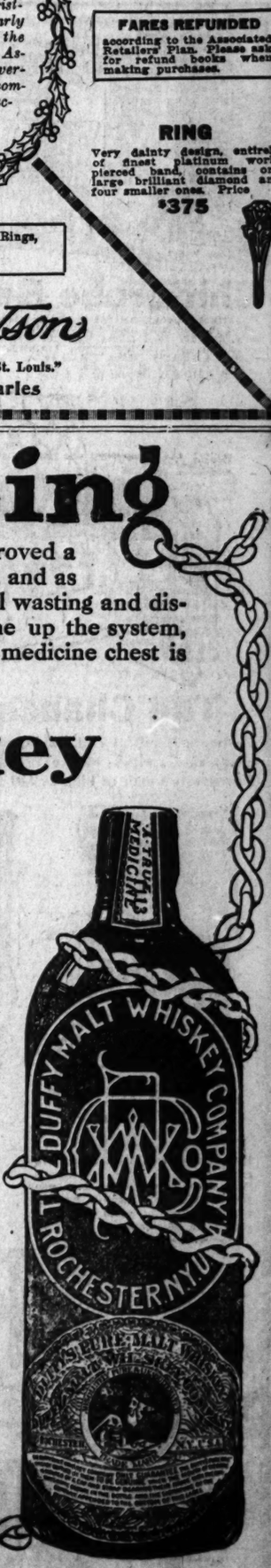
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OPPOSE HONOR TO BUSCH

Ministers Protest Against Placing Statue in Public Park.

A memorial to the Municipal Assembly by the Evangelical Ministers' Alliance, protesting against the erection of a monument in a public park of the city to any individual connected with the expansion of liquor manufacturing, was read in both branches Friday.

The protest was in response to a proposal that a statue of the late Adolphus Busch, multimillionaire brewer, be placed in a public park.

STRICKEN ON STREET, DIES

Swan Lynn Succumbs on Way to City Hospital.

The body of a man who was stricken with heart trouble yesterday afternoon in front of 720 North Spring avenue, was identified last night in the city hospital morgue as that of Swan Lynn, a carpenter of 3730 Evans avenue, by his son, Abraham Lynn of 5114 Wicklow place.

Lynn died in an ambulance on the way to the city hospital. He leaves three sons, Abraham, Swan Jr. and Ernest.

EXPLOSION INJURES BOY CHEMIST; TWO HOUSES WRECKED

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Louis J. Peolar Jr., the 16-year-old son of a millionaire, went to a small workship he had built near the stable and garage in the rear of his father's residence on Turtle Point, Tuxedo Park, this afternoon to experiment in chemicals.

The boy has been interested in chemistry since childhood. In his workshop he had fitted up a laboratory with machinery and electric contrivances. Among his possessions there was an old Presto-Lite gastank, which at times he filled with compressed air.

The boy was at work about 2 o'clock, when there came a deafening explosion. The shop was torn to bits; the stable and garage were wrecked. The boy was hurled into the air and fell unconscious and bleeding 50 feet away. Splintered bits of burning wood were tossed to the roof of the residence.

The boy was taken to Tuxedo Hospital, where one of his legs was found to be badly torn and the other bruised and cut. His right arm was broken and the right side of his chest crushed. Surgeons were called from New York to attend him. They said there was hope for the boy's recovery.

An examination of the wrecked workshop leads to the belief that the explosion came from the old gas tank.

OBTAINING JURY A DIFFICULT TASK IN DR. KNABE CASE

Lawyers for Dr. Craig Will Accept No One Who Thinks Woman Was Murdered.

SHELBYVILLE, Ind., Nov. 29.—Failure to obtain a jury satisfactory to both prosecution and defense up to the noon recess today caused Judge Blair to adjourn the trial of Dr. William A. Craig, charged with the murder of Dr. Helene Knabe, until 9 a. m. Monday. Eleven men had been accepted tentatively, but the two sides had been unable to agree on the twelfth juror. The State had exhausted seven and the defense nine of its 20 peremptory challenges.

Dr. Craig's attorneys made clear today their determination not to admit to the jury box any man who cherished a deep-rooted conviction that Dr. Knabe was murdered. On the other hand, counsel for the State indicated that they would decline to accept any juror who acknowledged the slightest prejudice against circumstantial evidence.

Ephriam Inman, who represents the Indianapolis Council of Women in the prosecution of Craig, is expected to make the opening statement for the State after the jury is completed. He said today he would take about two hours' time in outlining the case.

The first witnesses will be the physicians who examined the woman's body soon after it was found in her apartments on the morning of Oct. 24, 1911. Augusta Knabe, cousin of Dr. Knabe, probably will follow them on the stand, and her testimony is expected by the prosecution to be a strong link in the chain. Dr. Knabe is alleged to have told her cousin that she had quarreled with Dr. Craig a few days before her death.

Another witness in whom the State places strong dependence will be Harry W. Haskett, who is expected to identify Dr. Craig as the man he met coming out of the areaway of the downtown apartment house in which Dr. Knabe lived shortly after 11 o'clock on the night of Oct. 13. The defense expects to establish an alibi by showing that Dr. Craig was elsewhere at that hour.

DRIVER CAPTURES MEN IN COMBINATION RACE

's Legs, Horses and Street Car in Wild Chase After Alleged Thieves.

Erastus Emerich of 5557 North Market street, teamster for the Adams Express Co., last night pursued in his wagon two men whom he accused as thieves, and overtook them at Eleventh and St. Charles streets. He held them until a policeman came. They said they were Bryan Walsh of 2325 Dickson street and John Hawthorne of 1122 North Twenty-fourth street.

Emerich had made a delivery to the Schwartz Importing Co., 923 Washington avenue, and was leaving the building, when, he said, he saw two men seize a bundle each from the wagon and run. He chased them on foot half a block. They dropped the bundles and jumped upon a street car.

Emerich ran back to his wagon and whipped up the horses. At Eleventh street, he told the police, the men sprang from the car and ran south. They denied the charge of stealing.

"DAKOTA DAN" DEMANDS RUSSELL DEATH INQUIRY

Former Claimant to Get $500,000 Estate Would Investigate Rumors Concerning Cause of Demise.

MELROSE, Mass., Nov. 29.—"Dakota Dan" mailed to the Medical Examiner tonight a demand for an investigation of the death of William C. Russell, son of the late Daniel Russell, in view, the latter said, "of many rumors circulated as to the cause." Attorney Scharton, acting for "Dakota Dan," sent a similar request to District Attorney Higgins.

Russell was one of the central figures in the famous Russell will case. He was 65 years old.

Russell supposed himself to be the sole heir to the $500,000 estate of his father until about four years ago, when a man from Dickinson, N. D., known as Dakota Dan, claimed half the property on the allegation that he was Daniel Blake Russell, long lost son of the testator.

Later a man from Fresno, Cal., called "Fresno Dan" was recognized by the Russell family as the missing heir and the courts sustained his claim after three years of litigation.

JUST COULDN'T RESIST TAKING VELVET TIES

Penchant for Gaudy Neckwear Leads to Arrest of Youth Who Confesses Robberies.

A penchant for velvet ties led to the arrest yesterday afternoon of Gus Tucker, 16 years old, 1236 Chouteau avenue. After his arrest at this address he confessed, the police say, to various rooming house robberies recently.

Charles E. Bailey, 1119 St. Ange avenue, missed a gold watch and several fancy velvet ties of the latest pattern, Friday. Roomers at 1122 South Eighteenth street, where Tucker rented a room Wednesday, had reported the loss of numerous ties, all velvet, a watch and articles of clothing.

A patrolman went to Tucker's latest address and there recognized some of Bailey's brilliant ties. When Tucker came he was arrested.

Accidentally Shoots Himself.

While examining a revolver last night in his home at 1439 South Second street, John Schramm, 30 years old, discharged the weapon, and the bullet entered his abdomen. He was taken to the city hospital in a serious condition. The accident was witnessed by his wife and niece, Miss Gertrude Locke.

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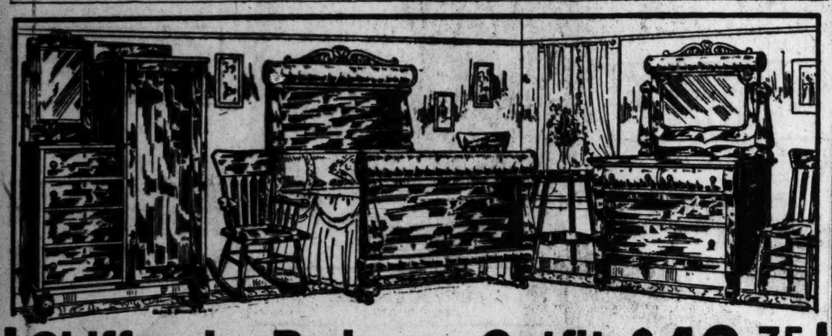
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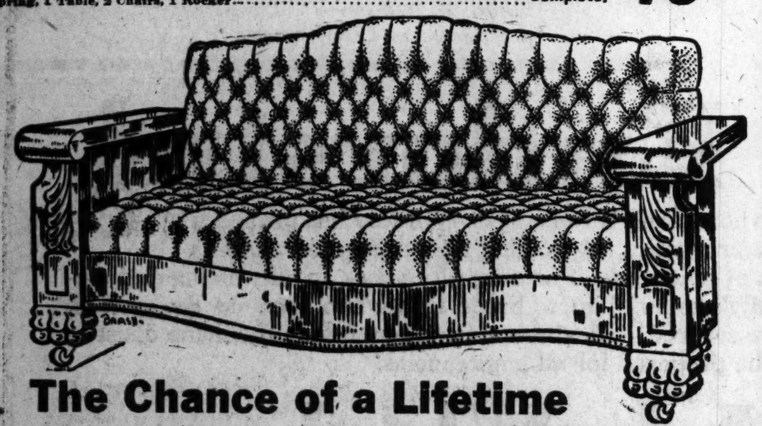
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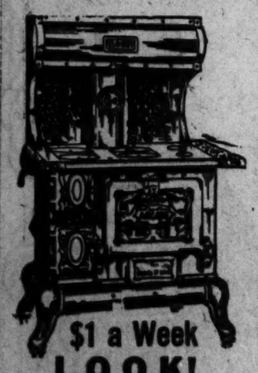
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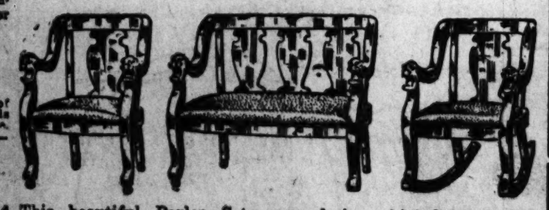
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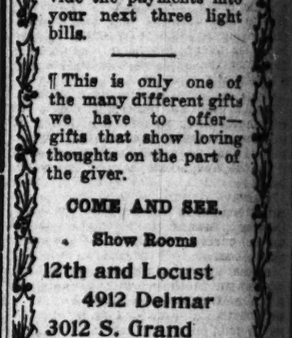
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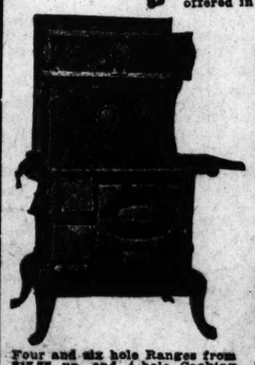
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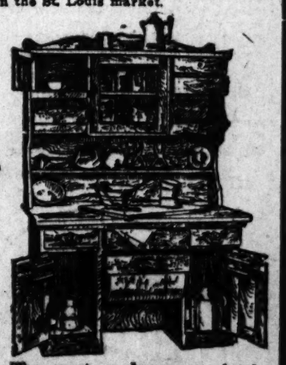


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You cannot SOAK rheumatism out through the feet or skin with plasters, foot pads or cunning metal contrivances. You cannot TREAT it out with liniments, ointments or purgatives. You cannot WILL it out with mental science or mind power. You cannot SWEAT it out with vapor baths or boiling your body until you become as weak as a child. You cannot FORGET it or IGNORE it. Rheumatism is too powerful. Too much a part of the blood. Too agonizing to be cured in any of these ways. There is only one thing to do—you MUST DRIVE IT OUT.

This is just what my Rheumatic Remedy does, and is what it does for every dollar bottle, just as soon as you write for it, to prove it to you. My remedy cures because it goes right into the blood and drives out the Rheumatism, because it is compounded from the right medicines to do this. You cannot do it with weak pills, sugar-coated tablets or powders. You must have strong medicine, and that is what my medicine is.

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Rheumatism is caused by Uric Acid, which acid is like fine crystals or salt and runs in the blood. It collects and hardens about the muscles and joints and causes all the fever, swelling, stiffness and agony of Rheumatism. My remedy goes right into the blood from the stomach, meets this poisonous acid and dissolves it, so that it passes out of the kidneys just like water. Uric Acid Kuhn's Rheumatic Remedy cannot live together in the same blood. THIS REMEDY MUST GO AND IT DOES GO. My remedy cures the sharp, shooting pains, the dull, aching muscles, the hot throbbing, swollen limbs and stiffened joints, and cures them quickly.

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I can prove this to you if you will give me the chance to do it. I will prove much in ONE WEEK. If you will write and ask my Company to send you a dollar bottle FREE, according to the following free offer. I don't care what form of Rheumatism you have or how long you have had it. I don't care what other remedies you have used. If you have not used my remedy you don't know what a REAL rheumatic remedy will do. A fair test is all I ask. If you find this FREE BOTTLE is curing your Rheumatism, order more to continue your cure and thus give my Company a chance for a profit. If it does not cure you, that ends it. I don't want you to buy any medicine unless the free bottle proves this the RIGHT MEDICINE for you. Can any offer be fairer?

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We do not send a small sample containing only a thimbleful and of no practical value, but a FULL-SIZED DOLLAR bottle, which is selling regularly in drug stores for $1.00 each. This bottle is heavy, and we must pay Uncle Sam parcel post on your door. You must send TWENTY-FIVE CENTS (to more) to pay postage, mailing case, packing, etc., for this full-sized one-dollar bottle to be promptly sent you by parcels post, with nothing to pay for it on receipt. Let Make up your mind to get rid of CURB at last by using this remedy which has cured thousands during the past twenty years. Send the following coupon, addressed to my Company.

Yours for a cure, CHAS. W. KUHN.

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Cotton Weavers to Strike.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Nov. 29.—Weavers at the Laurel Lake cotton mill voted today to strike Monday for better working conditions. If the strike is declared 700 operatives will be idle.

Watch Your Pimples Go Away

Then Feel the Ecstacy of Delight When Your Complexion Is Made Perfect by Stuart's Calcium Wafers.

Don't worry about your pimples. Stop that heart ache and regret. Just make up your mind that you are going to use Stuart's Calcium Wafers and make pimples vanish.



"I Don't Look Like I Did Since I Used Stuart's Calcium Wafers."

The pores of the skin are little mouths. Each has a sort of valve that opens into tiny canals connecting with the blood. These mouth-like pores become closed. When these canals fill up, the valve refuses to work and pimples, blotches, rash, tetter, liver spots, etc., appear.

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Don't use cosmetics. They will not hide pimples long, and then they clog the skin. You ought to know that the skin breathes in air almost like the lungs. The pores throw off impurities every minute of the day. To plaster the skin with paste, etc., is to actually prevent nature doing her work.

Stuart's Calcium Wafers will in a very short time, cleanse the blood, open the pores and remove all blemishes so that your skin will become of a peach and cream kind so much desired.

Stuart's Calcium Wafers can be carried in purse or pocket. They are very pleasant to the taste and may be purchased anywhere at 50 cents a box.

Look at your pimples and unsightly skin in the right way as a disease of the blood and pores and use Stuart's Calcium Wafers to give you the complexion you want.—ADV.

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Mr. A. M. Ikerd, Box 31, West Burlington, Ia., writes:

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"Finally I concluded to try Peruna, and I found relief and a cure for that dreadful disease, catarrh. I took five bottles of Peruna and two of Manalin, and I now feel like a new man. There is nothing better than Peruna, and I keep a bottle of it in my house all the time."

It is a remarkable story that Mr. Ikerd tells. It is a true story, but very briefly told. If he put into his story all of the details it would make a chapter of suspense and agony, hope and final recovery, equal to the wildest fiction. Anyone wishing to do so can write Mr. Ikerd and ascertain whether there has been any exaggeration in his case.

The "Ills of Life" will be sent free by addressing the Peruna Co., Columbus, Ohio.

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U. S. OWNERSHIP OF RAILWAYS FAVORED BY IOWA SENATOR

Kenyon to Introduce Figures to Show Saving That Could Be Effected by Government.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Government ownership of railroads will be approved by Senator Kenyon of Iowa who will present to the Senate a mass of figures, showing that a great saving to the people could be effected by government ownership. Although admitting that he is giving the subject much study and careful consideration, Senator Kenyon denied that he is preparing a bill for early introduction, outlining a plan by which the government would take over all the railroads.

In referring to the advantages of government ownership, Senator Kenyon said:

"Public ownership of railroads would get us away from the express comapny parasite, the refrigerator car, and every other kind of additional tax on transportation. It would also settle the rate proposition, and make impossible such scandalous financial proceedings as have characterized the New Haven management and the Frisco management.

"Other nations have grasped this problem and solved it. I do not see why we should be afraid of it. With the length of time it has taken to get the bill giving the Interstate Commerce Commission authority to make a uniform classification of freight rates out of the committee, and the time it is taking the committee to ponder over the bill denying the present right of railroads to remove small cases to the Federal Court, I am of the opinion that the movement for Government ownership of railroads will not be unnecessarily hurried.

"But it is a subject which thinking men who are interested in the future of their country must consider. I expect to place in the record during the discussion of the Alaskan Railroad bill some figures showing the tremendous saving there would be to the people if railroads were owned and operated by the Government."

BUSH SAYS NATION WILL OWN ROADS

Missouri Pacific President Says It's Only a Matter of Time Until U. S. Ownership Is Here.

Benjamin F. Bush, president of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, and Martin L. Clardy, vice-president and general solicitor, discussed the possibilities of Government ownership of railroads last night at the fifth anniversary dinner of the Missouri Pacific Club at the Missouri Athletic Club.

Bush declared the tendency of present conditions, the attitude of the public, the acts of legislative bodies and the conditions of the money market, were tending to force Government ownership. Clardy expressed the opinion that Government ownership was many years in the distance, and predicted that if it ever were tried, it would be abandoned in six months.

Bush Says Public Is Suspicious.

Bush said that for many years the public had been more than generous with the railroads and had given them more than they asked, but that there had been a reversal of feeling toward the railroads, and that now railroads were looked upon with suspicion and the public was not inclined to accord them any rights.

He pointed to the parcel post as one imposition on the railroads, saying that although there was an enormous amount of matter sent by parcel post, there had been no weighing to determine a just basis for charges, and that while the railroads were forced to carry the matter they did not receive adequate returns for it. The Government asked the railroads to hold fast passenger trains for parcel post matter, he said.

Reaching the discussion of Government ownership Bush said that unless the railroads could live, the Government ownership eventually would come.

Says It Would Be Bad for Nation.

He does not believe, he said, that Government ownership would be a good thing for the country, the railroads or the employes, and expressed the opinion that railroads could not be successfully managed by politicians, particularly with shifting fortunes of political parties. He said it would be a sad day for railroad employes when they were dependent upon the success of a political party for their jobs.

He commented on the difficulty of obtaining money for railroads at the present time, and said that money could not be borrowed except at prohibitive rates of interest.

Clardy Refers to Frisco.

Clardy indirectly referred to the receivership of the Frisco, with its revelations of promotion schemes by which Frisco officials profited to the extent of many millions of dollars at the expense of the railroad.

"The Missouri Pacific may have its troubles," he said, "but they are not such troubles as our unfortunate neighbor."

Clardy referred to anti-railroad legislation of many States, and said that Congress was about to become worse than State legislatures. He spoke of the friendship for the Missouri Pacific, which had grown up in the states it traverses since Bush became president, and declared this friendship was due to the road's honesty with the people.

Sims Introduces Bill to Regulate Issues of Railroad Securities.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Regulation of issues of railroad securities was proposed in a bill introduced today by Representative Sims of Tennessee. It would prohibit interstate roads from issuing any evidence of indebtedness except for some necessary physical purpose, and then only with approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Bank provisions would not apply to notes maturing not more than one year after issue, but such notes would not be permitted to aggregate more than 5 per cent of the aggregate of a corporation's stocks and bonds. All issues of capital stock, etc., contrary to provisions of the bill, might be enjoined by a court or by suit of any of the company directors, officers or stockholders.

Violations would be penalized from $1000 to $10,000, or from one to three years' imprisonment, or both. The bill was referred to the Interstate Commerce Committee.

The Post-Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives or publishes news gathered by the Associated Press.

UNABLE TO AID FATHER, WOMAN TAKES MERCURY

Young Mrs. Mary Maher in No Pain After Swallowing 12 Tablets of Poison.

Mrs. Mary Maher, 20 years old, swallowed 12 bichloride of mercury tablets Saturday in a rooming house at 2901 Washington avenue. Late last night it was reported that she was not suffering.

Physicians at the city hospital believe that in a day or two the tablets will show their effect. Mrs. Maher told reporters she had the tablets in her purse for some time, and used them because of the illness of her father, Ellis Treadway of 1406 Obear avenue.

She said her father suffered a paralytic stroke two years ago, and was in need of treatment. She said he asked her for money Friday, and she was unable to give it to him.

Down the High Cost of Living!

Join the great "Farm to Table" movement, for which Uncle Sam created his wonderful Parcel Post in the nation's great warfare on the high cost of living. See top of last column, first page today's WANT DIRECTORY.

PENNSYLVANIA CUTS OFF FAMILY PASS PRIVILEGE

Railroad Also Announces Employes May Not Ride Free Inside State After Jan. 1.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—Free transportation between points in this State to members of the families of officers and employes of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. will be discontinued after Jan. 1, according to an announcement by the company tonight.

The announcement says:

"Under the terms of the public service company law of the State of Pennsylvania, which becomes effective Jan. 1, 1914, the free transportation between points within the State of Pennsylvania of members of the families of officers and employes of these companies will not thereafter be permissible. The issue of the passes covering such transportation after Jan. 1 next will be discontinued, accordingly."

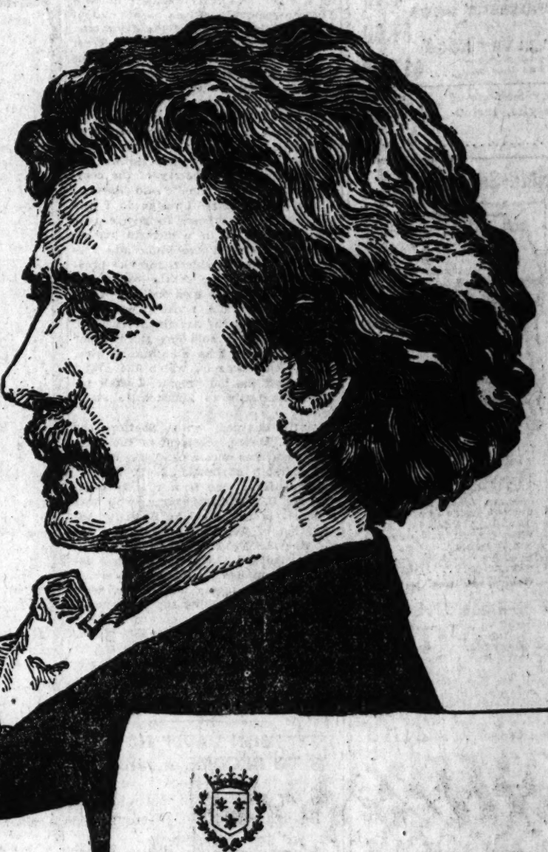
$500,000 Courthouse Dedicated.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Nov. 29.—The $500,000 Hamilton County Courthouse has been dedicated here. Local speakers made up an elaborate program.

WOMAN HELD FOR FRAUD

DANVILLE, Ill., Nov. 29.—Mrs. Emma R. Burkett was arrested and held to the Federal grand jury tonight on a charge of using the mails to defraud. She was unable to furnish $1500 bail and was sent to jail.

A dozen or more complaints, coming from as many different states, have been lodged with the postal authorities, charging her with posing as a single woman, young and beautiful, who obtained money from correspondents under various pretexts.



Paderewski

will play at the Odeon early next week. The only player-action endorsed by him is the Pianola (Read letter below).

The Christmas Gift Supreme

is a Steinway, Stroud or magnificent Weber Pianola, sold exclusively at Aeolian Hall. Genuine Pianola-Pianos $550 and up. Terms: $3 a week.

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Aeolian Hall
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Gentlemen It is several years since the Pianola was brought to my attention, and having been, if I am not mistaken, the first one to endorse this important invention. I have since watched its development with the utmost interest.

From the first the wonderful possibilities of a piano technique immediately available to everyone, which should yet be under the control of the performer, appeared to me as the means to make music an accessible Art, - just as accessible to the great publics as literature, sculpture, and painting.

Your first Pianolas, one of which I myself own, contained this possibility in embryo, & it has remained for you, with gradual development during intervening years, to realize it. Your success with the Pianola is therefore well deserved, and I view the growth of your popularity, both in America, and in Europe, with satisfaction, as a verification of my early opinion as to the future of the Pianola.

I cannot conceive of any reason why the Pianola should not be in every home. As a pianoforte, when the keyboard is used, it leaves nothing to be desired, while for acquiring a broad musical education, for the development of the understanding of good music, which modern culture demands, it is undoubtedly the most perfect and really great medium.

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ACCUSED PROMOTER DENIES PROFITING BY DEAL IN TEXAS

A. R. Sheffer, Indicted on Mail Fraud Charge, Says He Quit Company Two Years Ago.

A. R. Sheffer of 1212 Hamilton avenue, who was arrested yesterday on a charge of using the mails to defraud in connection with stock sales of the American Trust Co. of Houston, Tex., told a reporter last night that he had been out of the company for nearly two years, and that he did not make a dollar by its promotion.

Three years ago, Sheffer said, he gave up a stock and bond business in New York to remove to Texas on account of the ill health of one of his daughters. There he formed the American Trust Co. "to organize the collateral of the State," as he said. The concern was capitalized for $500,000, he stated, but only $15,000 of stock was sold. Of this $3000 was paid to agents, while the remainder is in the concern's coffers as a surplus.

Resigned After Three Months.

"I was elected secretary of the company two years ago," said Sheffer. "Three months later I resigned. I was pressed by the officers to give a reason. I gave it in a private report, which resulted in the immediate resignation of the president, the vice-president and treasurer of the concern.

"I can't take my own indictment seriously, for I did nothing wrong in connection with the American Trust Co. I certainly never sold any stock under false pretenses. I have no idea of what the evidence was on which the grand jury based the indictment. I shall return voluntarily to Houston to stand trial."

Jointly charged with Sheffer are Monte J. Moore, president of the company, who was once a candidate for the governorship of Texas; J. D. Hefley, vice-president, who is a rich rancher, and N. B. Sligh, treasurer, who was formerly president of the Bankers' Association of Texas.

Sheffer Held in $3000 Bond.

It is charged that these officials issued and mailed pamphlets in which erroneous statements were made, with the hope of persuading the correspondent to invest in the company's stock.

Sheffer was released on $3000 bond. One of his daughters is an assistant at the Public Library, another attends the Soldan High School, and a third is still at home. He said that he was a graduate of the University of Michigan.

KENYON FAVORS ACTION AGAINST FRISCO OFFICIALS

Senator Says if There Is No Law for Criminal Proceeding There Should Be.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Senator Kenyon of Iowa, author of the resolution providing for an inquiry into the Frisco receivership, when seen by a Post-Dispatch correspondent today, stated that he was not sure there was any statute providing for criminal prosecution of officials of railroads charged with wrongdoing such as disclosed in the investigation into the operations of the Frisco directors.

"If there is not such a statute," said the Senator, "there should be one. As a lawyer, I am of the opinion that suits of stockholders against officials of the Frisco line who profited in the Brownsville deal should be sufficient to warrant the Department of Justice taking steps to criminally prosecute such officials. I am not in a position to state at this time whether the inquiry conducted by the Interstate Commerce Commission has gone far enough to warrant the submission of the question to the Department of Justice. Chairman Clark informed me some days ago that the commission is now busy going over the testimony taken in the case and until the report is submitted to the Senate I cannot tell whether there will be sufficient grounds warranting action by the Department of Justice."

At the Interstate Commerce Commission offices today members refused to make any statement on what further evidence has been laid before the body since the investigation by the commission into the operations of the Frisco officials took place. No intimation was forthcoming as to whether the commission has received information to the effect that a number of the original members of the Brownsville syndicate were scared out by the leaders before the sale of the road to the Frisco or whether such holders sold their stock at a loss to themselves.

"This is a matter which we cannot discuss," said Chairman Clark. "The inquiry conducted by the commission was by direction of the Senate and our report will have to go to that body before anything can be said about our findings or what additional evidence other than what was disclosed at the hearing we may have received."

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The Suite is splendidly made throughout—in mahogany finish—best steel springs in seat—upholstered in best quality of Boston Leather, and just think of the price—**$43.75** for the entire 3-piece Suite. The Davenport alone would sell for that at many stores. You had better come early if you want one of these Suites, for, at this price, our supply won't last very long.



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No more appropriate or useful gift can be imagined for mother, wife or sister than a handsome Sewing Table. It is sure to meet with enthusiastic reception. The one shown above is a beauty—of artistic design and beautifully finished in mahogany, fumed oak or Early English and offered this week at only **$6.75.**

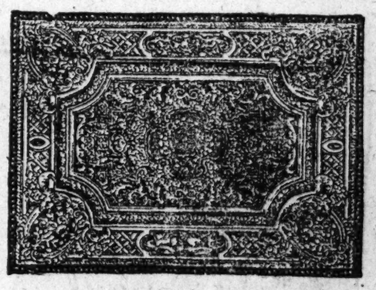


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We will offer at just about half price this week some two dozen Pianos and Player-Pianos that we have taken in exchange for new instruments. Buy now for Christmas delivery.

	Was	Now
New Engel Upright	$275	$ 75
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$20.00 Seamless Brussels Rugs **$13.25**

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$2.50 to $3.50 Curtains **$1.45**

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Bookcase
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Jewel Grand at..... $35
The Eldredge Automatic at... $45

We are also St. Louis agents for the celebrated Free Sewing Machine, the lightest running machine on earth.



Music Cabinet
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The Music Cabinet here pictured is of beautiful mahogany finish — highly polished — of good size—45 inches high and 20 inches wide—has large 6x18-inch beveled mirror—is large and roomy. A fine cabinet and an ideal gift. This week we are offering it at the extra special price of **$7.85.**

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JEFFERSON DAVIS' HOME IS TO BECOME A LIBRARY

Site of Mississippi Mansion to Be Presented to Confederate Veterans.

The former home in Mississippi of Jefferson Davis, President of the Confederacy, will be given, it was announced last night by Nathan Bedford Forrest of Memphis, grandson of the cavalry leader, to the National United Sons of Confederate Veterans, at the meeting which will be held at Jacksonville, Fla., in April.

This offering to the national body from the Mississippi camp of Sons of Veterans will be for the purpose of erecting a library on the property, which is valued at $200,000, for the promulgation of correct data concerning Civil War history.

Forrest was the guest of honor at the annual meeting of the St. Louis camp of Sons of Veterans. The following officers were elected: Commander, Frank N. Curlee; lieutenant commander, Walter N. Davis; Adjutant, Stephen R. Brown; treasurer, A. L. Pollard; historian, Dwight B. Currie; surgeon, Dr. Floyd Stewart; color bearer, Thomas E. Powe; quartermaster, Francis Boone; chaplain, J. N. Gentry.

The meeting was held at the home of Seymour Stewart, 5261 Washington boulevard. Plans were proposed to increase the membership of the St. Louis camp to 500 and to elect a St. Louisan commander of the national camp.

PNEUMONIA CAUSES 29 DEATHS, TUBERCULOSIS 16

Week's Record Shows 10 Accidental Deaths, 4 Suicides, One Homicide.

Pneumonia caused 29 deaths last week, while tuberculosis claimed only 16 victims. The total death roll for the week was 187, and births were 310.

Ten accidental deaths, four suicides, one homicide and one death under the surgeon's knife contributed 16 deaths by violence to the total. Cancer caused nine deaths, diphtheria three and bronchitis two.

Last of Autumn Lectures.

The last of the autumn series of public lectures at Washington University will be given tomorrow afternoon by Eugene L. Opie, dean of the faculty of the medical department and professor of pathology. His subject will be "Modern Tendencies in Medicine." The management will offer another series of lectures in February and March on subjects of a literary nature. The lecturers will be Profs. Heller, Lowes, Douay, Robinson, Chenery and Throop.

Auto Knocks Man Down.

William Wedemeyer, 50 years old, of 1813 Benton street, was knocked down at Eighteenth and Olive streets last night by an automobile driven by Clyde Easley, chauffeur for Charles Mahes of 5190 Raymond avenue. Wedemeyer, declaring he was only bruised, went to his home.

DEATHS.

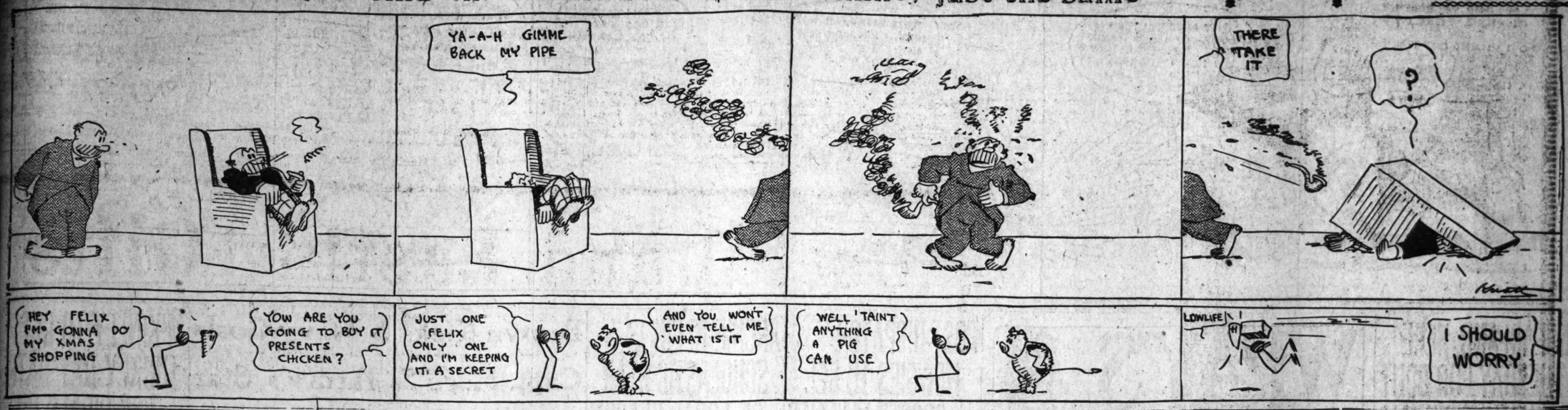
HILDNER—Entered into rest, Sunday, Nov. 30, at 12:15 a. m., after a lingering illness, Miss Frances Marie Hildner, daughter of Nicholas B. and Marie Hildner (nee Dotzmann), and sister of the Rev. G. J. Hildner, John F., Anna and Catherine Hildner.
Due notice of funeral will be given.

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MR. SHORT SPORT: And the smoke goes up the chimney just the same

By Jean Knott



ERXLEBEN MAKES A NEW RECORD IN TEN-MILE GRIND

Despite Heavy Underfooting, M. A. C. Star Negotiates Distance in Fast Time.

HOW THEY FINISHED

Position. Name and Club.	Time.
1—José Erxleben, M. A. C.	55:41
2—John A. Probst, Hibernian A. C.	58:20
3—Frank Johnson, M. A. C.	58:32
4—William Mathews, M. A. C.	59:35
5—C. W. Terry, M. S. U.	59:40
6—Jake Kaysing, Columbian A. C.	1:00:02
7—A. M. Finley, M. S. U.	1:00:03
8—D. Grace, unattached	1:00:15
9—L. Aslkainen, unattached	1:00:17
10—Charles Brickey, Hibernian A. C.	1:01:08
11—Frank F. Schmidt, Hibernian A. C.	1:02:25
12—Charles Lobert, M. A. C.	1:02:27
13—A. E. Baldwin, W. C. C. C.	1:05:38
14—Oscar Stumpe, M. A. C.	1:05:57
15—F. T. Rheinheimer, C. A. C.	1:07:44
16—A. R. Koenetzy, Y. M. C. A.	1:07:55
17—Tony Weiss, unattached	1:09:20
18—John Meyers, Granite City	1:11:55
19—E. M. Rheinheimer, unattached	1:14:38
20—W. W. Fuller, unattached	1:20:10
21—Joe Michelette, Granite City	No time
22—D. Brown, unattached	No time
23—C. J. Shipton, Y. M. C. A.	No time
24—C. Uhlig, Y. M. C. A.	No time

By Clarence F. Lloyd.

Despite a course, which in parts was ankle deep in mud, Joe Erxleben, the sturdy distance runner of the Missouri Athletic Club, yesterday won the ten-mile run under the auspices of the M. A. C. in the best time ever negotiated in the eight years that the event has been held.

He skidded, ploughed, jogged and jaunted over the distance in 55m. 41s. This is 25s. faster than the best previous time—56:06—created by W. J. Johnson, a Missouri University athlete, in 1910.

Next following Erxleben was John A. Probst, the Hibernian A. C. star, who crossed the finish line 2m. 39s. after the winner. Third place went to Frank Johnson, the Granite City citizen, in 58:32.

Post time saw C. W. Terry, the Missouri University runner, who won last year, and a teammate, A. M. Finley, toe the scratch. This somewhat disappointed some of the lesser lights who felt that with Terry absent they would have a better chance of winning.

Terry Is Too Frail.

But Terry's frail physique, coupled with the fact that some of his endurance had been sapped by a hard five-mile run in Kansas City two days previous, prevented him from making the same good showing he did in 1912. He finished fifth, coming in behind William Mathews, the winner of the Columbian A. C.'s marathon race. Terry clipped off the ten miles in 59:40, against 56:25 a year ago.

All of the 24 starters covered the course, although the last stragglers came in long after the advance guard had showered and dressed. One of the freaks of the race was that C. Uhlig of the Central Y. M. C. A., wearing tag 13, should get off last and pull up in the same position at the finish.

In the eight years that the race has been held, the course was in the poorest condition. The recent rains had left the county roads a sea of mud in parts. Some of the runners braved the slush, while others picked their way on occasional paths.

Schmidt Sets Pace.

Frank P. Schmidt of the Hibernian A. C. was the pacemaker immediately after the starting gun was fired by Dr. C. W. Bassett. It wasn't long, however, until Probst, Erxleben, Johnson and Mathews—running in that order—had pulled away from the field. That's how they ran when they turned from Natural Bridge road into King's highway.

SPORT SALAD

by L. C. DAVIS



TRY NOT THE PASS.

THERE was a man in our town,
Who tried the forward pass;
The speedy runner caught the ball
And then he hit the grass.
They jarred him, they marred him
And they kicked him in the pants,
And then he took a joy ride
In the city ambulance.

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Johnny McGraw and Umpire Bill Klem buried the hatchet before departing on their swing around the sphere. Both, however, carefully marked the spot so it can be disinterred at a moment's notice.

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X. Y. Z.—It is called the National Commission because it gets a commission on gate receipts of all the games handled under its auspices.

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Bonesetter Reese has cured Howard Shank's lame ankle. The Bonesetter makes a specialty of curing lame Shanks.

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In Wilbert Robinson, Brooklyn has the fattest manager in the major leagues. Wilbert is so large that it will probably take two days to properly dedicate him.

Ferguson's Play Big Feature of Mid-West Tourney

With Total of 627 He Takes Lead in Singles and Also Tops Two-Man Event.

W. O. Ferguson's bowling was yesterday's feature of the Midwest tenpin tournament now in progress on the Washington Alleys. His total of 627 was the premier performance in the first day's shooting in singles while he started the sharps by collecting 609 pins in the two-men event and taking the lead with his partner, W. Havens, who turned a 576.

This pair had a score of 1185 in doubles, which was high by a wide margin of 92 pins for the first day. Coffman and Engel of the Burke team were second in doubles, negotiating a total of 1093.

Ferguson and Havens surprised by their work in doubles. Last season they finished sixth in the Midwest tournament at Kansas City, but they were not tipped to do stellar work this time. However, Ferguson opened with 187, came back with 223 and closed with 189. Havens upset 189 pins in the first game, fell to 172 in the second, but closed strong with 215. Both these men are members of the Lou Duffy five, which shot 2615 opening night.

In the singles Ferguson was even better. He opened with 205, then startled with 244 and closed mildly with 178, having a grand total, however, of 627, which was high by a good margin. J. W. Reed of the Golden Rods was second, with 611, which he got with games of 181, 215 and 215. The two-man scores were as follows:

Ferguson and Havens	1185
Coffman and Engel	1093
Avis and Reed	1055
Coughlin and Bruergeman	1046
Cook and Hulen	1040
Drew and Hutchinson	1028
Zilch and Zilch	1026
Glessow and Pflueger	1021
Stinhauser and Steffen	998
Schunk and Enright	978
Van Arden and Fox	936

In the singles the scores:

W. O. Ferguson, 627; J. W. Reed, 611; E. M. Johnson, 598; F. Bays, 576; C. Glesson, 565; W. Fox, 550; J. Coughlin, 546; T. Cooke, 546; J. Bruergeman, 544; H. J. Schenck, 542; G. Ebright, 528; J. Pflueger, 527; A. Coffman, 521; G. Steffens, 518; A. Glesson, 517; H. Havens, 516; W. Hutchinson, 490; Anderson, 406; P. Engel, 495; F. Hulen, 483; G. Zilch, 480; J. Drew, 479; F. Van Orden, 468.

TOM BURKE GETS A DECISION OVER GARTON AT M. A. C.

Winner Gives Away Weight, but Has Edge in Feature Bout of Amateur Show.

By Harry S. Sharpe,
Referee of the M. A. C. and the Post-Dispatch's Boxing Authority.

Amateur boxing held the boards at the Missouri Athletic Club last night and six special matches were decided. All the boxers wore the colors of the M. A. C., but this did not detract one iota from a desire of each to win from the other.

The best boxed bout of the night was that between Tom Burke and Dick Garton in the 145-pound class, and Burke received the judges' decision at the end of three hard-fought rounds. Burke proved himself to be the hardest hitter of the two, in addition to which he showed splendid ability as a boxer and much improvement since he appeared last year.

His straight right and left punches went to the mark, and many of them caused Garton to wobble in uncertain gait. But Garton stuck on the job and managed to get in many telling blows, particularly some hard left swings to the stomach that caused Burke a feeling of sickness. Burke looked to be very close to the weight of 145 pounds, while Garton appeared to be some eight or ten pounds lighter.

Claves Shades Brock.

Another exceptionally good bout was that between Harry Claves and Johnny Brock at 135 pounds. Claves was given the judges' decision at the end of the third round, but he knew he had been through a mill. It was a hard bout from the very start, but Claves had an advantage in height, reach and speed and reached his opponent with telling effect, though many times he paid the penalty by receiving some hard ones in return. Brock had to be cautioned somewhat frequently for violating the rule against hitting while holding and for hitting when coming out of the clinches, and Claves was guilty in the same way a few times. Both boys are willing mixers and some hard and rapid exchanges reulted.

Loren Steinheimer won from Frank Sherman in the 158-pound class. Both seemed anxious in the beginning, and the first round was about even, and somewhat tame. They warmed to their work in the second round, and in the midst of an exchange, with both directing blows to the body, Steinheimer was struck a foul blow, inflicting a painful injury and disabling him from further participation. The bout was stopped by me and Sherman was disqualified.

Crump Wins From Ruyle.

Walter Crump scored a victory in the 180-pound class over Floyd Ruyle and received the Judges' decision at the end of the third round. It was a good contest and close, but there was no questioning of the decision. Crump out-hit and out-boxed his opponent, his best blow being a hard right cross to the jaw that Ruyle could not solve.

Walter Ulrich took on the hard-hitting Tom Fleming in the 135-pound class and won the decision of the Judges at the end of three rounds. Fleming, in addition to being much under the weight, was handicapped by Ulrich's advantage of height and reach. Fleming tried hard in the last round to seven matters by rushing in and slugging, but his opponent had already rolled up a lead on points that could not be overcome except by a knockout, and this Fleming was unable to accomplish.

Cory Also Wins.

Tom Cory, boxing in excellent form won a clean-cut victory over Joe O'Connell in the 135-pound class. Cory used a right cross to the head and right swing to the body with great effect and O'Connell seemed to have no guard for it. It was a good bout, but Cory won by quite a margin.

Messrs. John Q. Day and Harry Kiener were the judges and Doctor Howard Kahde was timekeeper.

During the evening Prof. John J. O'Brien, jiu jitsu expert, entered the ring with Officer Charles Watkins of the Twelfth District and gave an exhibition of the Japanese muscle-tearing, bone-breaking art of assault and protection which was loudly applauded by those present, though some of the athletes voiced an opinion that the Professor might fall of his accomplishment if he tackled them.

W. U. Sophs Win From Freshmen in Annual Game

First-Year Men Yield, 19—0, After Stubbornly Fought Bout at Francis Field.

The football curtain was rung down at Washington U. yesterday afternoon when the sophomore class team defeated the freshmen in their annual conflict, 19—0. The sophomores were coached by Jack Powell, a former Michigan man, who tried out with the Browns as a pitcher last summer, while the freshmen were prepared by Leo McCarthy, assistant to Bill Edmunds, the Pikeway mentor.

The second-year men outweighed the freshies several pounds and on a water-soaked field this advantage told after the first half. However, the sophomore class was reinforced by Poach Lewis, Berry, Werner, Bubb, Gray Pemberton and Martin, all members of the big squad during the past season. Martin and Pemberton will be eligible for the varsity next year.

Freshmen Lack Punch.

The freshmen outplayed their foes in the first half, but overlooked a good chance to score after working the ball to the soph's 5-yard line. The sophomores started with a vengeance in the second half and unlyed their opponents off their feet. They scored the first touchdown when Eames' punt was blocked behind his own goal line and Hewitt fell on it for a touchdown. Lewis missed the subsequent goal.

Two forward passes netted the next score, Lewis to Rubb, for 20 yards, and Lewis to Illiss for 12, and a touchdown. Lewis kicked goal.

The total was brought to 19 in the last quarter, when Martin hit the line for a score after he and Lewis had carried the ball to the 1-yard line on long runs. Lewis missed goal.

Coach Edmunds witnessed the contest and was pleased at the showing of the freshies, seeing several promising varsity men for next year's eleven. Lineup:

Sophomores.	Positions.	Freshmen.
Bliss	Left end	Davis
Berry	Left tackle	Wetzel
McRobert	Left guard	Bender, Stites
Lewis, Gray	Center	Bryan
Mercholtz	Right guard	McFarland
Werner	Right tackle	Rusick
Hewitt	Right end	Meyer
Bubb	Quarterback	Eames
Gray, Lewis	Left halfback	Greene
Pemberton	Right halfback	Brazil
Martin	Fullback	Newport

Referee—Sherer (Washington). Umpire—Perrings (Washington). Head linesman—Berryhill (Washington). Length of periods—15m.

Packey McFarland to Marry; Plans to Quit the Ring

Pugilist's Bride Will Be Miss Margaret Loughran, a Notre Dame Graduate.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 29.—It was learned here today that Packey McFarland, the pugilist, is engaged to marry Miss Margaret Loughran of Joliet, Ill. The news came here in letters to friends and former classmates of Miss Loughran. The time of the wedding was not mentioned in the letters, but it is expected that it will occur within the next two or three months.

Miss Loughran is a graduate of St. Mary's College, Notre Dame, having taken high honors at that institution with the class of 1904.

McFarland met Miss Lourhran at Notre Dame. Several years ago McFarland decided to study law and entered the law department of Notre Dame University, which is one mile from St. Mary's College.

After their first meeting acquaintance soon grew to friendship and McFarland was a frequent caller at the home that Miss Loughran visited while in Chicago, and he never forgot to drop off at Joliet whenever the opportunity presented.

While no definite information could be gathered here on the matter, it is generally understood that the wedding will be the cause of McFarland bidding good-by to the ring. The news of the engagement came as a surprise to the friends of both McFarland and Miss Loughran in Pittsburg.

William Dwyer Dead.

DES MOINES, Ia., Nov. 28.—William Dwyer, once manager of the Des Moines (Western League) team and its leader when it won the league championship in 1909, died at Waterbury, Conn., today of tuberculosis, according to a message received here today.

LOCAL FEDS MUST PUT UP $50,000 BEFORE MARCH 1

Other Teams Already Have Posted Forfeits and Are Signing Players.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 29.—Many important matters were discussed at the third meeting of the magnates of the Federal League in this city today. The magnates were in session for eight hours and after it was over all seemed satisfied with the prospects of the league for the coming season. That the players' fraternity will have much to do with the class of players to be found in the Federal League the coming season was hinted at by one of the magnates after today's meeting.

Besides the Browns and Cardinals players who have already been signed up, letters from a score of players from other teams in organized ball have been received and were discussed unofficially. The players' fraternity will hold their annual meeting next week and from the friendly manner in which President Dave Fultz has treated the new league, it is not hard to guess the attitude that the fraternity will take.

"Foxy" Ned Hanlon had a quiet talk with the presidents of different teams after the regular meeting in which he gave them the benefit of his experience in the manner of signing up players.

Raid on St. Paul Team.

That practically every member of the St. Paul team of the American Association were ready to become affiliated with the Federal League, was another bright bit of news received by the Federal League magnates. An emissary of the players of that League brought this information to the meeting and he stated that these players would not make any "prima donna" demands in regard to salaries, if contracts were offered them for the coming season. It has been a long known fact that "Mike" Friel, the manager of the St. Paul team, is not the most popular manager in the Association.

The corps of experts who were hired by the league some time ago to go to different cities in organized baseball to look up the matter of grounds and grand stands, made their report today. All the details were worked out by these experts and submitted to the meeting. It was decided to build the stands of the different ball parks as nearly uniform as possible.

Pittsburg Has New Owner.

The franchise of the Pittsburg team of the league was officially turned over to a company headed by John B. Barbour, millionaire stock broker, and William Kerr, one of the leading lumber dealers of this city.

Each franchise holder is also required to post an additional $5000 in the treasury of the league. This makes $15,000 that each franchise holder now has up for the coming season.

Pittsburg and Kansas City teams will only be required to put up $10,000 more, while the other teams, St. Louis, Chicago, Indianapolis, Baltimore, Buffalo and Cleveland, will be required to have a deposit of $50,000 each up before the season opens. This will be done because the Pittsburg and Kansas City teams each own their grand stands.

DR. HUTCHINS TO HEAD WESTERN CONFERENCE

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Dr. C. P. Hutchins of the University of Indiana was re-elected president by athletic directors and managers of the Western Intercollegiate Conference who completed their annual meeting here tonight. Dr. L. J. Cooke of the University of Minnesota was re-elected secretary. They will serve two years.

The basket ball schedule for the approaching season was adopted and a post-season game between the conference champion and the Eastern champion was recommended. The Western conference schedule will close March 10 and the inter-sectional game would be played a few days later.

The last inter-sectional basket ball game played by a "big nine" team was in 1908, when Chicago defeated Pennsylvania.

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Army and Navy Captains Both From Missouri

CAPTAIN HOGE of the victorious Army eleven, and Capt. Gilchrist of the vanquished Middies, are both Missouri boys. Hoge is a resident of Lexington, Mo., and a graduate of the Wentworth Military Academy, of which his father, William Hoge, is superintendent. He is 22 years old and was appointed by Senator Stone.

Gilchrist probably is better known than Hoge in St. Louis, however, because he played here several times as a member of the Rolla School of Mines team in 1907 and 1908. He came into prominence in 1909, when he was transferred from the Rolla team to Missouri U. to strengthen the Tigers for their game with Kansas.

Gilchrist played an end for the Tigers against the Jayhawkers and proved a potent factor in winning the game, 12—6. Eddie Klein played quarter on that team, which was tutored by Biff Roper, the Princeton man, and Klein testified yesterday that Gilchrist was the best "fighter" Missouri had.

Gilchrist's initials are K. P., which mean nothing—not even "Knights of Pythias."

Otto Yacknow Is Awarded Decision Over Willie Krug

Local Boy Lacks Condition and Yields to Cleveland Boxer After Fast Bout.

Otto Yacknow of Cleveland, a featherweight boxer, was given the decision by referee Jed Jahan, over Willie Krug of St. Louis, after eight rounds of entertaining boxing at the Mosse Club last night.

Krug seemed to lack condition, and after giving his foe a close run for four rounds, tired, and Yacknow, by an aggressive style, landed solid left and right hooks to the head and slowed the local boy up and earned the decision. In the sixth round, Yacknow opened a wound over Krug's eye, putting the latter on the defensive for the remainder of the bout.

In the semi-windup Willie Haller outpointed George Burke in six rounds and was awarded a decision.

The third bout of the evening introduced Kid Farmer of Peoria, who knocked out Tommy Belrose of St. Louis in the second round. Farmer merely played with his adversary and rocked him to sleep with a right hook to the jaw.

The second bout brought Young Jack Shelton and Blondie Baker together. Baker outpointed his opponent in four rounds.

In the first preliminary, Sid Whiting knocked out Perry O'Donnell in two rounds. Harry Slavin refereed the first three bouts.

THREE ST. LOUISANS GET LETTERS AT WESTMINSTER

FULTON, Mo., Nov. 29.—Roy E. Hefner of Nowata, Ok., was elected captain of the 1914 Westminster College football team at the annual football banquet last night. Seventeen men received the football "W" including the following St. Louis boys: Vaughan, center; Barker, end; Hasgall, halfback. Hefner, the new captain, has been on the team three years, and played halfback and fullback this season.

Tinker and Evers Confer.

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—Joe Tinker, deposed manager of the Cincinnati team, called on Manager Evers of the Chicago Nationals today and, after a conference, said he knew of no place in which he would rather play than Chicago. Until President Murphy of the Chicago club returns from Europe no negotiations regarding the transfer of Tinker can be made.

ARMY'S OPEN ATTACK BEATS NAVY IN SPECTACULAR BATTLE, 22 TO 9

Cadets Rely on Forward Pass and "Pin-Wheel" Shift to Win From Conservative Middies.

By Herbert Reed,
Former Cornell Star and the Post-Dispatch's Eastern Football Expert.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.

THE Army disposed of the Navy at the Polo Grounds today, 22 to 9, in one of the most brilliantly played games since the radical changes in the rules, the Cadets playing the better kicking game, choosing their downs better, and using the forward pass when it was best calculated to produce results.

The combination of Pritchard to Merrillatt, the latter, by the way, one of the best ends of the season, was a deadly one, and the long run by the fleet end, swinging around behind the "pin wheel," was the finest feature of the game, if one excepts the plunge of Hoge, the Army Captain, over the goal line, later.

Merrillatt had taken the ball up close enough to promise a score if the soldiers had the punch. Hoge made his touchdown just off guard, the entire team figuring in the play as well as they could without the pushing and pulling, without which it has been said that one team could no longer score against another of almost equal strength.

Nicholls Stars for Navy.

But for the stellar play of Nicholls, McReavy and Blodgett, and especially Nicholls, the Navy might have found itself in a more serious predicament than was actually the case. Nicholls was a hard man to bring down, he picked his openings cleverly, and was a terror in running back kicks, although the Army was unusually clever in getting men down under punts. Time after time the Navy back faced six men who had merely bumped the line and gone down the field to reach the receiver of kicks.

The Army flung its first and best forward pass on the first down, and its second on third, the latter when the soldiers were in the lead, and it was the best play to pile up the score if possible. The Cadets disdained to play the game "safe," and their judgment was justified by the outcome.

Another feature of the Army's attack was the calling in of Woodruff at the crucial moment to kick a goal. Woodruff has been groomed from the beginning of the season as a good kicker. He is a fairly light man and does not fit in with the general Army system of offense, but he is a deadly goal kicker. Brown of the Navy already had a reputation as a goal kicker, so his ability under fire was not unexpected, but only those who had watched Woodruff knew what a kicking punch there was in him.

Once in the defensive situation, the Navy fell back on forward passing, which was not as well conceived or as well executed as the Army advance flings. These, even when they were unsuccessful, were well covered, and not only opened the Navy defense, but proved to the soldiers that they had in the pass itself either a scoring play or one that might well lead the way to a score. Both teams were equipped with strong lines, although it was a surprise to find the Army forwards getting the jump on the heavier Navy men again and again. The Army secondary defense was also up to the mark, the defense apparently being run by signal.

Army Tackles Strong.

The Army also had the better method of storming through to block kicks, and it was significant that Weyland, one of the tackles, did the execution the first time a kick was blocked, and Wynne, another tackle, was the first man through on the second trip. Indeed, the Army tackles played the best game of their football career.

In the entire, McEwan was the steadier man and the better passer, while in the forward positions apparently special effort had been made to cover Brown, who considering the extra precautions taken against him, played as pretty a game as one would care to see.

From start to finish, however, the Army was the better down field team, and had Nicholls not been so adept at snatching the kicks on the jump and fighting off tacklers, there might have been a different story to tell.

Few mistakes were made in handling the team, but Pritchard was one of the greatest assets the Army had, and while the Navy backs appeared to be far more rugged and perhaps faster, the Army backs used their heads better.

Work of Army Ends a Revelation; Cadets Unafraid to Use Open Play

THE work of the Army ends was a revelation, especially when it came to the open game, and to the everlasting credit of football itself these two elevens proved that it was possible to score by one method or another even when fairly evenly matched.

Here were two teams unafraid to attempt any type of football that commended itself to reason, and the result was the most spectacular game of the year. It has been said of both service teams in the past that when they get into the big game they forget much that they had been taught, but there was nothing today but the infliction of a penalty now and then that was directly traceable to over eagerness, to bear out the old contention.

Pin-Wheel Shift Baffles.

There was a great deal of similarity of play of the two elevens, both using the tandem formation on attack, and both using the double and delayed passes that have created so much havoc with some of the best defensive teams this year. It remained, however, for the "pin wheel," which looks like the Harvard wheel shift geared up to high speed, to shake a man loose for a long run that followers of the game and lovers of open football have been breathlessly awaiting since the attempt to revive end running was made by the rule makers.

The play was sprung in Army territory, but it came at the psychological moment and the Navy defense was caught off its feet, even so good a man as Nicholls was easily passed. As has been the case at Harvard, the Army coaches made a lot of their ends on attack, and proved at least that there was no reason why when the proper material is at hand they should not be considered as extra halfbacks.

When the Army ends were not carrying the ball they were bowling low to the secondary defense, and indeed, the whole type of Army game was close to the lines made so successful by Harvard.

The soldiers had the advantage of a stiff breeze when the game opened.

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That Carl Morris Match Ought to Throw a Little Light on the Title

Axel learned this one from Jimmy Foley

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By Vic



M'FARLAND HERE TUESDAY FOR BOUT WITH TRENDALL

Chicago Boxer, in Form, Should Easily Dispose of Local Lightweight.

MR. M'GOVERN EXPLAINS

Absence of Clean Break Rule, Hurt Ortell's Protege in Conley Bout.

Packey McFarland, the Chicago boxer, who probably would be the world's lightweight champion if he could get within the recognized 133-pound limit, is due in St. Louis Tuesday. He comes for a bout with Harry Trendall, the local lightweight champ, before members of the National A. C. in the Coliseum Building Thursday evening.

McFarland should beat Trendall and with ease. This assertion is made, granting that Packey is in his real form. Reports following his most recent bouts, however, are that he is in anything but the proverbial "pink."

According to Robert Edgren, the New York expert, McFarland weighed between 145 and 150 pounds when he met Tommy Murphy. He was said to be "hog fat," although outpointing Harry Brawer, a welterweight, with ease last Wednesday.

Trendall Is Doomed.

It is difficult to figure any means for Trendall getting anything better than second place in the bout. McFarland made the match at catch weights. After working out two days ago, Trendall hopped on the scales and weighed 137½ pounds. That's less than Packey's normal weight now and indications are that the Chicagoan will have a big weight advantage.

This will be the second meeting of these boxers. They fought 10 rounds in Kansas City on May 26, 1909. Although outpointed all the way, Trendall, then little more than a novice, managed to stick the limit. Since then Trendall has improved but has hardly reached the standard set by McFarland.

The bout will serve one purpose, however. It will afford members of the club the chance of seeing the man who is probably the greatest boxer in the world today. McFarland bears that distinction, according to many critics.

Welsh Is Wanted.

According to Frank Bishop, manager of the National A. C., the McFarland-Trendall bout will be followed by a contest in which Freddie Welsh, the English lightweight champion will appear. He hasn't set the date for this match. It would be impossible, however, for Bishop to get McFarland and Welsh together here for several reasons.

Johnny Kern, the fighting bank clerk, and "Kid" Black of Gillespie, will meet in one of the Coliseum preliminaries. They were to have mixed at the Future City A. C. last week, but Black failed to show up. The other preliminary will bring together Tommy Shaw of Wellston and Danny Cullen, who has been serving as Trendall's boxing partner.

Bishop announces the following seat prices: Lower floor $3, second and third balconies $1, and boxes (including four seats each) $16.

McGovern Does Well.

Benny McGovern, the local featherweight, returned yesterday from Springfield, Mo., where he fought 10 rounds Friday night with Frankie Conley, the Kansas Italian. Conley slightly shaded the St. Louis boy.

Benny offered no alibis. He said, however, that they did not fight under the clean break rule as enforced here. The rough and tumble style was well suited to Conley, and he promoted as a result.

Tony Ortell, acting as McGovern's mouthpiece, ventured the opinion that Benny could beat Conley a mile, if they fought as they do before the local clubs. McGovern made a good impression in Springfield, and has been invited to return. He wants to meet the 122-pounders in St. Louis.

Show Here Tuesday.

The Billy Grupe-"Buck" Crouse match is the feature at the Future City A. C. Tuesday evening. The weight advantage seems to be in Crouse's favor inasmuch as Grupe has no trouble in doing four and five rounds over the 126 pounds they have agreed upon.

Crouse has the distinction of being the only man who has ever knocked out George Chip, the man who now claims the middleweight championship as a result of his knockout over Frank Klaus.

WRAY'S COLUMN

There's Something New, After All.

THERE'S still something to be discovered in the sport world. When Jake Schaefer ran 566 points, using the "anchor nurse," it was thought that the last thing in technical billiard playing had been reached.

But in the "chuck nurse," discovered by Charles Peterson of this city, a new factor that promises to revolutionize professional play enters the cue field.

W. W. Spink, a California player of national standing, ran 1009 points using the new play and several of the younger cueists of the East, who became interested in the feature, have developed the new nurse play so that they can total big runs by its use.

So strong a factor has the "chuck nurse" become that already they are devising a balk to prevent its use, figuring that it is a freak play and detrimental to the general development of billiards.

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"Touch" Needed in New Play.

THE accompanying diagram will show the position of the balls for the "chuck nurse." The play is practically a kick-back off the ball on the cushion and its success depends on the delicacy of the player's stroke, in that the balls must be hit so lightly that their position is not disturbed.

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A Quick Counter.

SO far as can be ascertained, this stroke was first brought to light by Peterson, the St. Louis balk-line expert, who used it as an exhibition play. He demonstrated that he could count 100 points per minute, more than one each second, a feat that 99 out of 100 billiard players would declare impossible.

As illustrated by Peterson, the shot was illegal, as, in the course of counting the 100 points per minute, he did not allow the cue ball to come to rest after each shot, but hit it while it was still in motion.

Since his first experiment with the play, however, Peterson has adapted it to use in matches. The shot is now used as in his exhibition play, with the exception that he permits the cue ball to stop rolling before hitting it again for the ensuing count.

Peterson, in a demonstration of the possibilities of the "chuck nurse," scored 64 points in one minute, legitimately.

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Sentiment Against the "Nurse."

BILLIARD players of standing, as a rule, do not run to freak plays. Champion Hoppe, in particular, never tries fancy nurses nor does he confine himself to any effort to get the balls in a certain position from which he expects to make a big run. Perhaps the only distinct policy Hoppe has employed is shown in his partiality to the "short" game. Practically all of his billiards are counted inside the last two diamonds and he employs all sorts of plays to make his runs. The "solid game," which is practically the "army game," as applied to balk line, is his strong point. He never figures on being "left" an opening, but figures that he ought to be able to make any shot and to get reasonable position therefrom.

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One-Idea Game Is Bad.

OTHER star players, however, follow a different system. Sutton's strong point is the balk-line nurse and when right he is probably the best exponent of this style of play in the country. But its execution is not always to be guaranteed and when his balk-line nurse is wrong, Sutton is through and easily beaten. Demarest is another one-idea man.

Already a complaint has gone out against the "chuck nurse," as far as its use in championship tournaments is concerned. A demand on rule makers has been made that the three and one-half inch anchor ball be increased to a seven-inch square. The object of this is to lengthen the drive of the cue ball, thereby preventing the absolute accuracy required for the successful use of the shot.

However, Peterson, the originator of the play, declares it is possible to use the shot with the same accuracy, despite the seven-inch handicap.

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One Inning Decides Match.

HOPPE'S contention that such a shot is a detriment to the general betterment of billiards holds good. For, as



championships are now settled in 500 points games, the perfection of the "chuck nurse" by any individual would enable him to run out a match in a single shot. His allround ability to play the cue game would therefore not be in question at all, in such a match, and the outcome of the contest would depend entirely on the player's ability to get the necessary position from which to start the "nurse."

There is little doubt that an embargo will be placed against this form of billiard cutting before long.

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Chalk Hurts Masse Game.

PETERSON, while East refereeing the Demarest-Hoppe championship, tried to induce the champion to take up the "chuck nurse" and perfect it, but Hoppe refused, saying that straight billiards was good enough for him.

Incidentally Peterson came away from the Demarest match with a new idea. It is that chalk marks on the cloth ruin all masse play.

"Hoppe's style of play is confined to the two ends of the table," remarked Peterson, in speaking of the championship match. "You only had to look at the cloth to determine this, for inside the second diamond, at both ends, the green was literally freckled with chalk marks. Hoppe, you know has a dip stroke while sighting for his shot. This touches his cue to the cloth and leaves a mark.

"Quite accidentally, as a result of this feature of his play, Demarest's masse game was ruined because, with chalk on the table, he could not control the shot.

"Curiously enough Hoppe does not use the masse except in absolute emergency. Demarest missed two or three masse shots at important times, and while I will not say that he would have won the game had conditions been different, it undoubtedly threw him off his stride."

Dundee to Meet Rivers.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Nov. 29.—It was announced today that Johnnie Dundee of New York and Joe Rivers of Los Angeles had been matched for a 10-round fight here Christmas day at Pelican Park. It was also announced that "Wildcat" Ferns of Kansas City and Mike Gibbons of St. Paul, welterweights, would fight 10 rounds here Dec. 26.

Rivers' Manager Denies Report.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 29.—"Joe Rivers will not fight Johnny Dundee or anybody else at New Orleans or any other place on Christmas day," said Rivers' manager tonight, when asked about the reported Rivers-Dundee match at New Orleans Dec. 25.

"In the first place, I won't let Rivers fight on Christmas day," he continued. "And in the second I am trying to arrange a match at Vernon Arena New Year's day between Johnnie White Hope and Joe

POST-DISPATCH NEWSIES TO SEE SOCCER MATINEE

Boys Will Be Guests of Athletic Park League at Double-Header Today.

SUNDAY'S SCHEDULE IN SOCCER LEAGUE RACES

AT ROBISON FIELD.

First game—Teresas vs. Athletics. Second game—Columbus Club vs. Innisfails. Starting time—2:15 o'clock. Referee, Paul McSweeney.

AT ATHLETIC PARK.

First game—Rock Church vs. Columbias A. C. Second game—St. Leos vs. Millers. Starting time, 2 o'clock. Referee, Phil Kavanaugh.

Post-Dispatch newsboys will be the guests of the Athletic Park Soccer League this afternoon when the four teams of that organization will play their customary double-header. The newsboys were invited to the games in the hope that they would take an interest in the sport and organize teams of their own.

The big game promises to be that between the St. Leos, soccer champions of the city, and the Millers. The Leos are leading the league at present, but enjoy only a single game advantage over the Millers. A victory for the Millers will result in these teams being tied for first place.

The opening game at 2 o'clock will be between the Columbian Athletic Club and the Rock Church teams.

Newsboys are requested to apply for admittance at the south gate on Garrison avenue.

Knights to Play Innisfails.

The Columbus Club and Innisfails meet in the feature game of the double-header at Robison Field. The Innisfails, although occupying third place in the league, expect to beat the Knights because of the addition of several new players.

The opening game is between the Teresas and Athletics.

Many Soccer League Schedule.

Following is the schedule of games in the Municipal Soccer League today:

At Forest Park—Famous-Barr vs. Hands A. C., 1:45, grounds No. 1; Oaklands vs. Yawitss, 3:10, grounds No. 1; Compton Hills vs. Chenoweths, 1:45, grounds No. 2; S. B. & F. vs. St. Louis Cricket Club, 3:10, grounds No. 2.

At Carondelet Park—Spanish F. C. vs. Concordia T. V., 1:45, grounds No. 1; SS. Mary and Joseph vs. Popp's Tigers, 3:10, grounds No. 1.

At Fairground—Liebermanns vs. Trumbull, 1:45, grounds No. 1; Commerce vs. Sonnenberg, 3:10, grounds No. 1; Banner Buggy vs. Athlone, 1:45, grounds No. 2; Claxtons vs. Millers, 3:10, grounds No. 2; Arlington vs. Bob Whites, 1:45, grounds No. 3; Shenahans vs. St. Matthews, 3:10, grounds No. 3.

SWEENEY REFUSES TO SEEK MANAGERIAL JOB

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—Capt. Sweeney of the Boston Nationals announced tonight that he would make no effort to obtain an appointment as manager of the Cincinnati club. He has left the matter in the hands of President James J. Gaffney of the local club. In a letter to President Gaffney, who is in New York, he said:

"Whatever arrangements you make will be perfectly satisfactory to me." Gaffney notified Sweeney yesterday that he was free to negotiate for the position.

Solsberg-Wade Boxing Bout, Carded at C. A. C. Postponed Indefinitely

PRESIDENT FRED WARD of the Columbian A. C. yesterday announced that the proposed boxing bout between Johnny Solsberg of Brooklyn and Harry Wade of St. Louis, at the C. A. C. Dec. 12, had been postponed indefinitely. The fact that the Queensberry A. C. has scheduled bouts Dec. 11, the night previous to the C. A. C. show, was given as the cause.

"Our club suffered last season because other organizations booked bouts that conflicted with our shows," said President Ward. "Although we had picked Dec. 12 as the date for our reopening, the Queensberry A. C. failed to recognize the fact and announced bouts for the preceding night. We may try to put on a bout in January."

ARCHIE KLEIN IS SCHOLASTIC STAR OF LOCAL SEASON

Heady Quarterback of Soldan Picked as Captain of All St. Louis Team.

ALL INTERSCHOLASTIC TEAM.

First.	Positions.	Second.
(Sol.) Kling	L. E.	Van Raalte (Smith)
(Sol.) Peers	L. T.	Geiterman (Man.)
(Cen.) Houck	L. G.	Root (Sol.)
(Sol.) Cunliffe	C.	Kaikman (Cen.)
(Sol.) Hengiesburg	R. G.	Cloud (McK.)
(Smith) Jarvis	R. T.	Walsh (Sol.)
(Cen.) Finn	R. E.	Krenser (McK.)
(Sol.) Klein, Capt.	Q. B.	Monnig (McK.)
(Sol.) Chalfont	L. H.	Baum (Man.)
(McK.) Black	R. H.	Halliday (Smith)
(Cen.) Clemmons	F. B.	Swingley (Sol.)

Picking an all-interscholastic eleven this year is not the difficult task it was last fall. The main reason is that there was not the great competition this year that featured the play of 1912.

There were some stars this season, but very few, all coaches driving their elevens to obtain team work more than individual play.

For instance, the Soldan eleven: This, in reality, was a team of stars, but the real effectiveness came through its interferance, in other words, the team work. It is probable that this eleven would defeat any mythical all-star eleven selected.

In picking the all-star players, one finds an abundance of ends to choose from. Kling gets the left wing and Finn the right. These boys played stellar games all season. Others deserving mention are Krezzle, McMannus, Van Raalte and Kemper.

The tackles are in better shape than any position on the line. The combination of Walsh, Peers, Jarvis, Houck, Cloud and others totally eclipses any squad of tacklers over in the league.

Jarvis undoubtedly is the greatest linesman of all. He is a world of strength on the defense and also powerful on offensive play. He outpointed any man on any scholastic or collegiate eleven in the city. He also did forward passing, and ran with the ball about a third of the time from punt formation. Beers gets the other tackle owing to his clever line work throughout the season.

The guard positions are the weakest. Only one good man could be found, Henglesburg of Soldan. It was his first year and he did wonderful work. As Hauck, a tackle on Central this year, is really a guard and won that position last year, he is given the other side.

Cunliff at center has no real contenders for his job and is another firstyear man that Coach Kelly developed.

The quarterback position is not in doubt at all—Archie Klein is without a peer at his position. Monnig of McKinley is probably the next best man. Klein would receive the captaincy as he has admirably led Soldan for two years.

The back field is a puzzle. This year turned out the fewest back stars for many years. Chalfont is the only one who is absolutely sure of his place. Chalfont did about one-half of his team's gaining by himself.

The other halfback position goes to Blades of McKinley. Blades scored against Central and did practically all the gaining against Manual. He is worthy of a place.

Clemmons of Central is switched from a halfback position to fullback. This boy weighs 185 pounds and is an excellent line smasher and also can pick holes.

Swingley is a great player and put up a great game against Central, but did not hit his stride until the end of the season.

Brown Kicks 3 Navy Goals

Capt. Hoge Is Army's Star

Merillatt Does Bulk of Scoring, Receiving Two Forward Passes Behind Middie's Goal, but Army Captain Is Best at Rushing Ball.

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but there were as many shifting air currents as are usually found in the Harvard stadium, and after the first few minutes of play the wind was not a great advantage to either eleven. As a matter of fact the backs on both teams were seriously hampered in judging kicks, and such fumbling as they did might well be forgiven them under the circumstances.

From a technical standpoint the playing of both victor and vanquished did not rise far above the usual caliber of the annual gridiron struggle between the two academies.

In the opening quarter, the two elevens played the usual Eastern game with the attack directed principally at the line and outside tackle. At this period the advantage lay entirely with the middies, who used their weight and speed for consistent gains. Near their own goal line the Army held firmly and Brown, the Middies' right guard, was called back to the Cadets' 20-yard line whence he kicked a placement goal. In the second period he duplicated the feat after Hodgson dropped one of Nicholls' punts and Gilchrist recovered.

Woodruff Kicks Goal.

The Army got into action in this quarter also and sent the score see-sawing with a field goal and touchdown. Early in the period the soldiers gained the ball on the Navy's 10-yard line as a result of a blocked punt from Nicholls' toe. The West Point backs could make no impression on the Navy line and Woodruff, who replaced Jouett for the occasion, kicked an easy goal from placement on the Navy's 25-yard line.

Just before the quarter ended Prichard caught one of Nicholls' high punts at midfield and raced 15 yards toward the Middies' goal before he was downed.

Three times in succession then Prichard hurled a forward pass. The first two were uncompleted, but the third shot squarely into the hands of Merrillat, the Army end, who had run across the Middies' goal line and thus West Point registered the first touchdown of the game, leaving the score at the end of the first half 9 to 6 in favor of the soldiers, for McEwen failed to kick the goal from touchdown.

The Navy added another goal from placement in the third period, when Nicholls, by clever running back of Jouett's punt, placed the ball on the Army's 25-yard line. Checked by the soldiers' defense, Brown scored his third and last goal from placement, kicking from the 30-yard mark.

With the points 9 all, the Cadets opened another brilliant attack. Merrillat, with little or no interference, ran from Army's 45-yard line to the Middies' one-yard mark before he was tackled from the rear by Gilchrist. Two line plunges, with Capt. Hoge carrying the ball, scored the second touchdown and McEwan kicked the resultant goal, making the score Army 16, Navy 9.

Hoge Finds Middies Easy.

Not satisfied with this lead, the Cadets set out to revenge themselves for the defeats of recent years and succeeded in adding another touchdown. Immediately following the opening of the final period Capt. Hoge caught one of Nicholls' low punts on the Army's 45-yard line and ran, unaided, to the Middies' 20-yard mark before Brown pulled him down. On the next lineup Hoge tore through the fast-weakening Sailors' line for 8 yards. Again Prichard elected to try for a forward pass and again it was Merrillat that caught the flying spheroid behind the Navy goal line for the third touchdown of the game. The ball was downed to the extreme right of the goal posts and the punt out was a failure, leaving the final score: Army, 22; Navy, 9.

During the 60 minutes of play the Navy eleven failed to show the consistent advancing power that had brought them seven victories by big scores in the eight preliminary games of the season. The Army's desperate charging and tackling of the cadets upset the interference and brought down the runner with little or no gain.

ARMY (22).	Position.	NAVY (9)
Markoe	Left end	Ingram
Wynne	Left tackle	Ralston
Huston	Left guard	Howe
McEwan	Center	Perry
Jones	Right guard	Brown
Weyand	Right tackle	Vaughan
Merrillat	Right end	Gilchrist (C)
Prichard	Quarterback	Nicholls
Hoge (Capt.)	Left halfback	McReavey
Jouett	Right halfback	Failing
Benedict	Fullback	Harrison

Time of periods, 15 minutes each. Army scoring: Touchdowns, Merrillat, 2; Hoge. Goal from touchdown—McEwan. Goal from placement—Woodruff. Navy scoring—Goals from placement: Brown, 3.

Substitutions—Army: Hobbs for Benedict; Woodruff for Jouett; Hodgson for Woodruff; Jouett for Hodgson; Benedict for Hobbs; Ford for Benedict; Goodman for McEwan. Navy—Blodgett for McReavey; Leonard for Failing; Alexander for Leonard; Overesch for Ingram; Howe for Vaughan; Mitchell for Nicholls.

LESLIE WINS NATIONAL CROSS-COUNTRY RACE

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—From a field of 32 starters Sidney L. Leslie of the Long Island A. C., metropolitan junior champion, won the national senior cross-country championship of the Amateur Athletic Union over the six-mile course at Van Cortlandt Park today, his time being 34m. 42s. Gaston Strobino of South Paterson, N. J., was second; Arthur Roth, Mohawk A. C., third, and William Kyronen of Finland, unattached, finished fourth. Team honors went to the New York Athletic Club.

Rickey Has Strong Constitution.

Grantland Rice rises to remark: "If Branch Rickey has signed a Brown contract for a 10-year run he must have wonderful faith in his constitution. Inhaling the damp air of the cellar would kill an average man in five years, much less ten."

M'KINLEY TO GET TURKEY DAY DATE PRINCIPALS VOT

South Side Institution Will Meet the Winner of Central-Soldan Game.

McKinley High School's football team, which did not figure in the final of last year's interscholastic season, has been awarded the right to meet the winner of the Central-Soldan football game on Thanksgiving day next year.

An agreement to this effect was reached at a conference of the athletic principals of the respective high schools. Soldan and Central played the tie-up game this year. Over 8000 paid admissions swelled the athletic treasuries of the respective schools.

The meeting of McKinley and the winner will be irrespective of the showing of the elevens throughout the preceding games. Central and Soldan will meet in a game the preceding Saturday to decide which eleven is entitled to meet McKinley for the interscholastic title.

Soldan was easily champion of the 1913 season, defeating its opponents decisively through its schedule.

Rumor has it that Smith and McKinley will get together in athletics, both the departments of Washington University.

Manual loses all but four of this year's men and it will be a problem to make a formidable team for next season. Smith's boys do not seem to be so sturdy as usual, this year's eleven averaging 127 pounds.

If the two combine a great team would be aggregated and would give the big schools a great fight for honors in every branch of athletics.

Flint Franchise Sold.

JACKSON, Mich., Nov. 29.—The Flint franchise in the Southern Michigan League, which was forfeited to the league last August, and operated the balance of the season by the league, has just been sold to Jack Burke of San Antonio, Tex. Burke will operate the club at Flint.



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AUTOMOBILE NEWS.

DEALERS' DINNER IS PARISIENNE SOIREE

The automobile trade of St. Louis will next Saturday night have a banquet that will eclipse anything of the kind in the history of the St. Louis Automobile Manufacturers & Dealers' Association. It will be at the Planters Hotel, beginning at 6.30 and ending when it quits.

The invitation, mailed Saturday, is written in ye Old English style and says in effect that the affair is to be a "Parisienne Soiree and Divertisement", and that there will be plenty of Divertisement, enough of Soiree to go around twice and some Parisienne left over for next time.

The committee in charge of the dinner and entertainment is W. C. Anderson, Jos. A. Schlecht, Ralph C. Doak, Saml. Breeden and R. E. Lee.

LOYAL TO ONE CAR

Ortonville, Mich., which boasts some 400 people, about holds the banner for loyalty to the Ford car. There are 46 cars in the village, which is a prosperous farming town not far from Detroit, and of the 46, 44 are Fords, two other makes of cars being represented by one car each. And this count of 44 doesn't take into consideration some 25 additional Fords which are owned in the surrounding country just outside the corporate limits of the village.

The speakers, if they get a chance, will be Mayor Kiel, Secretary of State Roach, A. R. Pardington of Detroit, Hasty Kline of Akron, Street Commissioner Talbert, Roy F. Britton, Ed. Flesh et al. Oscar Dane is in charge of the divertisement.

INJUNCTION DISSOLVED

The following announcement regarding the International Motor Co. is authorized by the officers of the company:

Considerable publicity has been given to proceedings brought by George E. Blakeslee, a stockholder to the extent of 187 shares preferred stock in which he asks for the appointment of a receiver and an injunction prohibiting the company from borrowing other funds. His application for a receivership and permanent injunction has been dismissed by the court.

Plans have been completed under which the existing of future merchandise creditors of the company will have unusual protection for credit extended. With the exception of bills for merchandise, the company will have practically no obligations to meet during the next three years, beyond its current requirements.

This company is one of the leading manufacturers of motor trucks, having, it is believed, produced and sold more heavy trucks of two-ton capacity and upwards than any other concern in the business. The company's annual business has grown until it now reaches approximately $4,000,000.

This company has erected a modern and efficient truck service station. This building now stands at West End avenue, New York, occupying the entire block from Sixty-third and Sixty-fourth streets, and represents an investment, with machinery, equipment, etc., of nearly $1,000,000.

BUY HARROUN INVENTION

The Harroun company of Indianapolis, first successful manufacturers of a kerosene carbureter for automobiles, will be absorbed by the Electric Renovator Manufacturing Co. of Pittsburg, Pa. The fact that the Pittsburg firm is directly controlled by a group of the largest independent oil operators in America, is an indication that the future necessity for a kerosene carburetor is appreciated by those who are in a position to know the actual fuel conditions.

The Harroun carburetor has become well known all over the world through its remarkable performances in a recent trip from Indianapolis to the Pacific Coast in a Henderson car on $20.11 worth of ordinary grocery store coal oil.

WON STATE FAIR PRIZE

Following this similar success at the State Fair of California, Studebaker cars won first prizes for mechanical design and artistic finish in the Mississippi State exhibition, held recently at Meridian. The exhibit was in charge of John H. Semmes, Meridian Studebaker dealer.

AUTO CLUB HELPS CATCH AUTO THIEF; FOUR CONVICTIONS

Offer of Reward From Club Treasury Rounds Up Two Boys and Two Older Offenders.

The Automobile Club of St. Louis is being recognized by automobile owners, not only in the city, but throughout Missouri and Illinois, as the potent factor in eliminating the automobile thief and his pernicious practice, and in recognition of the excellent work along this and other lines pertaining to the betterment of conditions surrounding automobiles, the club is receiving the financial and moral support of owners.

The following letter from Belleville to Roy F. Britton, chairman of the Legislative Committee, shows the effectiveness of the efforts of the club and of the appreciation of automobile owners:

Mr. Roy F. Britton: I am delighted to inform you that I recovered my machine at Cairo, Ill., yesterday. Since I received the tip from you I have had men at work on the case. There were several confirmations of your tip, and I felt assured that we would find the car at Cairo.

I shall be very glad to reward you and your associates in any manner that you may suggest, and I want to especially indorse the organization that you represent, and I ask you to send me a petition so that I may become a member of it. Incidentally, if you will send me several additional petitions, I will endeavor to enlist the membership of some of our local enthusiasts.

Until you are better paid, I want to thank you very much for your interest in my behlf. A. H. BAER.

Since then Mr. Baer, who is an attorney in Belleville, has secured a number of members to the Automobile Club of St. Louis from East St. Louis, Alton, Edwardsville and Belleville. Automobile owners of St. Louis and the surrounding country and towns are beginning to look upon the Automobile Club as a protective association against the automobile thief. The club aids the authorities in prosecuting the thieves and other violators of the laws pertaining to automobiles and automobiling.

During the past week the club paid over $100 in rewards for the arrest and conviction of automobile thieves who stole cars belonging to members of the club.

Two juvenile offenders—Walker Guion and Edward Jackson—both 14 years of age, were arrested and tried in the Juvenile Court and sentenced to the Industrial School for an indefinite term. They stole the automobile of Mrs Mary Fiorita of 5549 Berlin avenue. The machine was taken from in front of the Princess Theater. The arrest was made by Officers John McCormick, William Hagemeyer and August Mier.

The other case was that of Wilbur Stokesbury, who stole the machine of Fred Solomon at the corner of Sixth street and Washington avenue. He was sentenced to one year in the city workhouse by Judge Kinsey of the Circuit Court. Leniency was shown him because he turned State's evidence in the case of Jack Stokes, who was arrested and charged with the theft of the automobile of Louis Berger, Aug. 8, and because of his physical condition. The arrest of Stokesbury was made by City Detectives Albert Helmsholt and Peter McGauly.

WILL BUILD "LEWIS" CAR

The L. P. C. Motor Co., of Racine, Wis., which was recently incorporated with $250,000 capital under the laws of Wisconsin, has elected the following officers: President, William Mitchell Lewis; vice-president and engineer, Rene M. Petard; secretary and sales manager, James M. Cram; treasurer, F. S. Gordon; general counsel, H. B. Hand; superintendent, O. R. Delamater; purchasing agent, C. B. Chamberlin.

The company's factory and general offices are located at Racine Junction, within the city limits of Racine, where there are excellent facilities for getting out a large number of cars. The corporation will manufacture the "Lewis Six," which will sell for $1600.

Capt. William Mitchell Lewis, president of the L. P. C. Motor Co., has long been identified with the automobile industry, having been president and general manager of the Mitchell-Lewis Motor Co. from its inception, and is one of the best known figures in the auto trade in America as well as the foreign field.

BUILDING A CYCLE CAR

Descriptive literature of the Woods Mobilette—America's first cycle car, has reached St. Louis. It is manufactured in Chicago by the Woods Mobilette Co., and is a tandem-seated car, with 86-inch wheel base. The car is convertible for either pleasure or light delivery use, with bodies to suit either purpose. The tread is but 30 inches. It has a 10-horsepower, four-cylinder motor, air cooled, friction drive. It can attain high speed and runs at small expense for fuel.

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Whether you maintain the horse as your favorite or prefer the auto, Post-Dispatch wants give a list to select from that will interest you.

WORLD'S RECORD MADE ON AUTO SHIPMENT

Eighty-eight car loads, a total of 418 Buicks, were shipped to the Howard Automobile Co., California distributors, by the Buick Motor Car Co. at Flint, on Nov. 10. The shipment is covered by a sight draft which will be paid by the Howard company upon arrival of this world record-breaking shipment on the coast. The Buick company has bona fide orders for 14 more special trainloads for the 1914 season. The factory is turning out 165 cars a day, but according to company officials, the supply is far from enough to meet the demand.

Generalizing on automobile distribution in America, "Trainload" Collins says he believes that if anybody were to make a canvass of the entire United States, he would find the only dealers not making money in the business are those who ask for deliveries only when deliveries are hard to get, and not in the dull winter months when they can get practically anything they ask for.

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"One of the curious effects the automobile delivery car has exerted," commented W. S. Pettit of the Commerce Motor Car Co. of Detroit, "is the revolution of the method of solving the package delivery problems, more especially those of the department stores and other retail establishments. Ten years ago a merchant had to maintain one or more horse-drawn vehicles and include all the details of such a department. Today he frequently has neither his own horse-drawn wagon nor a fleet of motor deliveries. He contracts with a firm to take over his entire delivery of packages and it is the contractor who maintains the delivery cars.

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TO SELL GARFORD TRUCK

Local automobile circles were treated to an important bit of news this week when the Willys-Overland Co. of Toledo, O., announced the appointment of the Capen Motor Car Co. as St. Louis distributors of Garford commercial vehicles. This is an agency which has been much sought after along "gasoline row" and the success of the Capen company in landing the desirable account is a high compliment to the ability and aggressiveness of this well-known firm. The company's salesrooms and garage at 4729-31-33 McPherson avenue are now undergoing extensive alterations and improvements and when these are completed Garford trucks will be as attractively displayed as any in the city.

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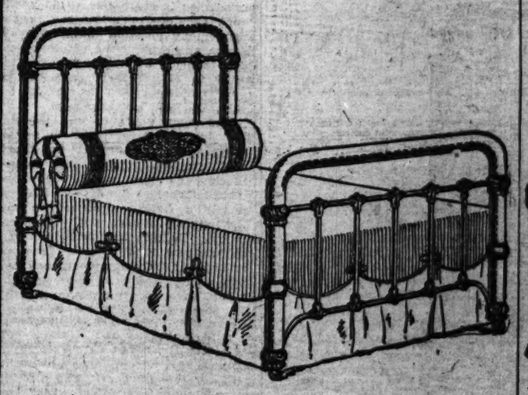
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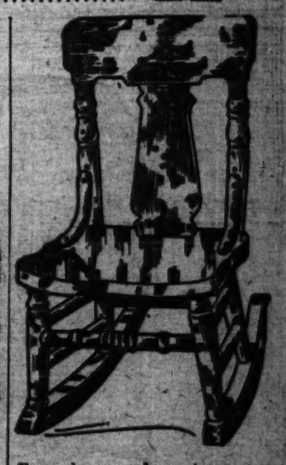
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The box was attached to a telephone pole and was shaped somewhat like a mail box and was painted red. It was used by conductors to deposit their street car receipts and reports in order to save a trip to the office and delay their cars. An attempt to stop the practise of depositing letters in the box by Uncle Sam's patrons by putting large letters on it reading, "This is no mail box," was ineffectual.

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AUDITOR REVEALS IRREGULARITIES IN CITY HALL PAYROLL

Sheehan's Discovery May Lead to Revision of Salary Code, Now or Under New Charter.

The discovery by Auditor Jeremiah Sheehan of irregularities in the city hall payroll, which have been officially sanctioned for many years, may lead to a revision of the salary code now of under a new charter, if adopted.

Sheehan found day laborers were receiving 30 days' pay each month, when there are but twenty-five or twenty-six working days, of which four are half days. The involved system of transferring or lending employes from one department to another, escaped Sheehan's scrutiny of the payrolls, but would be revealed by a field survey.

Department heads have repeatedly in the past sought and obtained permission of fiscal officers to employ engineers, surveyors, draftsmen, garage managers, mechanics, etc., by placing them on a payroll under authority of ordinances permitting the employment of extra day laborers.

Practices Sanctioned by Officials.

In emergencies, men have been hired to do special work, and were paid with the proceeds of fodder vouchers or from appropriations for stationery or lubricants. These practices have been sanctioned in all cases, presumably, by fiscal officers who check the disbursement of funds by departments, and are not regarded by officials as in anywise resembling "graft."

The practice has been expanded and abused, however, and appropriations have been misapplied after the general fashion at times when the fiscal officers were not consulted and would not have consented to the arrangement. The city is now involved in litigation resisting the attempt of a contractor to collect a balance alleged to be due, and contending that a department head fraudulently certified that "extra labor" was performed, when in fact supplies were purchased without competitive bidding.

Talbert Hires Six Engineers.

Auditor Sheehan has complained to Street Commissioner Talbert that six engineers in his department are allowed 30 days each month as day laborers at $5 per day, when they do not perform that many days of labor. Talbert, when he assumed charge of the department last March, consulted the Mayor and Comptroller about these and other irregularities that had been the established custom for years, and was advised to continue the practice, he says.

No ordinance authorizes the employment of engineers at a monthly or annual salary, and the Street Commissioner is compelled to do without such services or make the best arrangement possible under the ordinance authorizing the employment of day laborers at wages ranging from $1.50 to $5. Talbert says the men now employed are worth at least $150, and will not take less.

For some years it was the practice in this department to make a notation in red ink at the foot of each payroll, stating that laborers marked as working 30 days in a month "worked Sundays." This was purely a fiction, designed to make the payroll square with the ordinance. Talbert has forbidden it on the ground that it is a false certificate, and the engineers are listed now as entitled to 30 days pay at $5 a day, with no explanation of why.

Men "Borrowed" for Garage.

The Municipal Garage, manned by a superintendent and a small corps of assistants, is not authorized by ordinance and no emyloyes are authorized for this purpose. The difficulty is overcome by "borrowing" men from the street and other departments, where they are listed in various capacities.

Chauffeurs are provided for some departments on this basis: In January, Commissioner A. lists the chauffeur as a laborer in his department; in February, Commissioner H. uses some appropriation to pay the chauffeur hire, and both commissioners have the use of the chauffeur all the time.

The necessity for these irregularities in payrolls, is explained by some department heads, as due to the veracity of Councilmen and Delegates. If an ordinance were introduced by a department head to authorize the employment of daftsmen at $125 a month, experience nas demonstrated that unless a satisfactory agreement were reached with the powers that be in both the Council and House of Delegates, as to what individuals would be employed in the offices involved, no legislation would result.

Attitude of Department Heads.

Department heads who desire expert assistants are unwilling to barter away the newly created job, naturally, and at other times party or factional differences make the department head unwilling to employ a lieutenant of the rival camp. The commissioner, for either reason, resorts to the most convenient subterfuge and employs the men he wants.

The need of a complete revision of that part of the city code relating to employes, has been recognized for some years at the city hall. Officials who were questioned about a revision at present say it would be inopportune until after the Board of Freeholders has submitted a new charter to public vote.

Auditor Sheehan says he has no intention at present of appealing to the law department for a decision as to the legality of paying the irregular payrolls. Another irregularity alleged by Sheehan is the employment of non-residents in city departments.

What the Charter Provides.

The charter provides that "city officers" shall have established a permanent residence in the city. The law department has ruled that an officer, as defined by the charter, is an official who is elected, appointed for a definite term of office, or who receives an annual salary. Employes hired by the day or month, subject to dismissal at any time, are not classed as officers, and it is not clear that these employes must be residents of the city.

Sheehan cited the case of a young woman employed at the Art Museum for $60 a month, who resides in Clayton, as an instance. Sheehan says he will not refuse to audit her salary voucher, unless he is advised to so do by the law department.

EX-GOVERNOR LADD DEAD

Former Rhode Island Executive Succumbs to Cerebral Hemorrhage.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 29.—Herbert W. Ladd, twice Governor of the State, died today of a cerebral hemorrhage. He was in his seventy-first year.

Ladd was a newspaper correspondent at the front in the civil war. Later he entered business here and became the head of a large dry goods house. He was elected Governor in 1889, defeated in 1890, and chosen again in 1891. He was the donor of an astronomical observatory to Brown University.

SOLDIERS KILL TIGRESS

Animal for Picture Show Scene Escaped and Caused Panic.

EPERNON, France, Nov. 29.—The tigress which recently escaped from an enclosure where a moving picture of a tiger hunt was being taken and which caused a panic among country people in this district, was killed today in the forest by a shot from one of the 1500 soldiers who had been sent out to hunt the animal. The terror-stricken people had for several days been afraid to go into the fields and had kept their children locked in the houses.

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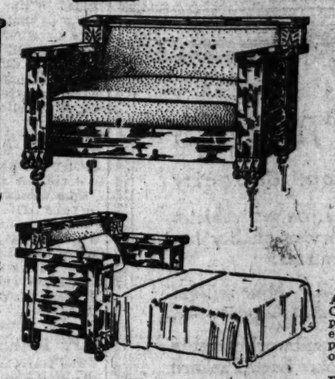
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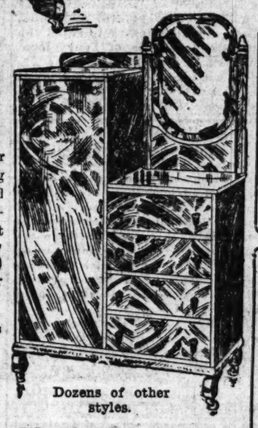


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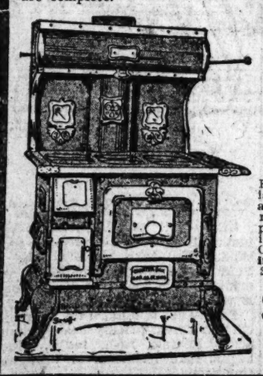
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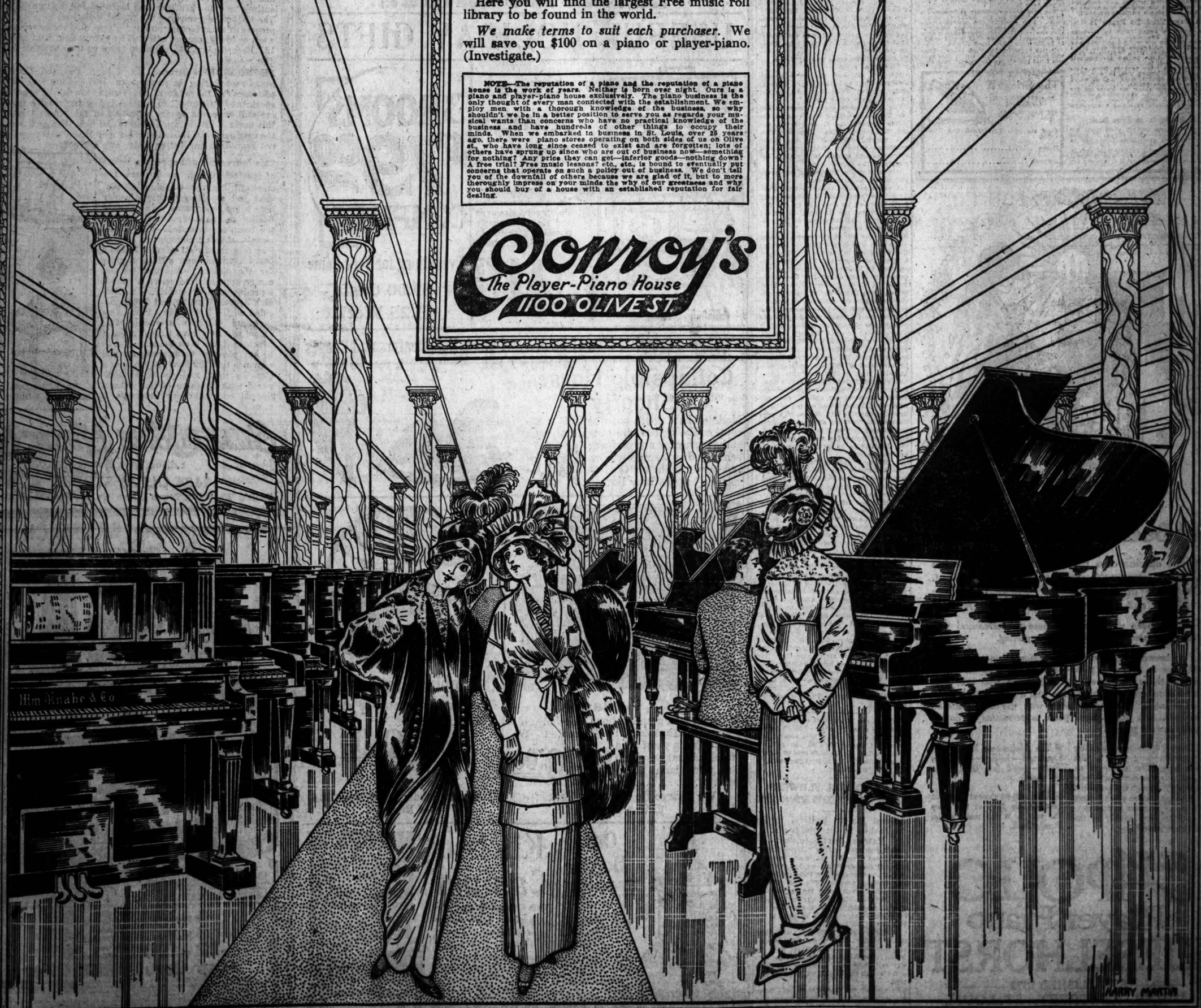
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Vessel With Crew of 14 Is Lost.

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¶ In the Apollo you'll find a feature to correspond with every fundamental of *manual* piano playing.

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NEW INDIANAPOLIS MAYOR HAS PLAN TO CURB STRIKERS

Teamsters Threaten to Walk Out Tomorrow and He Makes Policemen of Business Men.

By Associated Press.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 29.—Harry R. Wallace, who became mayor of Indianapolis when Mayor Shank resigned yesterday after failure to end strike troubles, continued preparations in the police department today to handle serious trouble in the event of the threatened strike of union teamsters Monday.

The new Board of Public Safety granted special police powers to a number of business men against whom the strike is aimed. The special powers were granted, it was explained, that the men might be better enabled to prptect the business in which they are interested.

Plans to place the downtown district under a system of military patrol have been completed by Acting Superintendent of Police Coffin. The reserves, which heretofore have been held at police headquarters, will be divided into squads, commanded by a sergeant, and will patrol the districts between pairs of stationary patrolmen.

The order prohibiting the congregation of crowds was promulgated today. Capt. Coffin said the order did not mean that men and women waiting for street cars were to be loaded into patrol wagons, but added that these gatherings would be closely watched.

Order Authorizes Use of Force.

The order reads:

"Do not disperse the crowds with strength until you have urged them to move on, but when that fails, do not hesitate to use other means."

The union teamsters will meet in Labor Temple tomorrow and vote on the strike proposition. It is believed the men will vote to strike. Thomas J. Farrell, general organizer for the union, continued today to meet employers of teamsters and explain to them the demands of the union.

It was stated a number of employers had signed an agreement.

It was announced today that the Public Service Commission of Indiana would begin Monday its hearings in the dispute between the Indianapolis Street Railway Co. and its employes, who recently were on strike.

Reasons for Shank's Stepping Down.

The causes of Mayor Shank's resignation date back to the city election Nov. 4, when the Mayor and his advisers attempted to influence the result of the campaign in favor of the Republican candidate, C. A. Bookwalter, but more especially to run ahead of the Progressive candidate for political reasons, by an alliance with the labor element. Organizers for the street railway men had been in the city for some time, and, it was charged by the Mayor's critics, through an understanding with the city government, a strike was called the day before election. The policemen assigned by the Chief of Police to ride on cars tendered their badges, and this action also was attributed to the Mayor's influence. Without police protection, the street cars were not able to run, and when Gov. Ralston was on the point of declaring martial law, Shank, in a public speech, from an automobile, urged the strikers to march to the Governor's office and demand a special session of the Legislature to pass a compulsory arbitration law.

Mayor Protected Policemen.

An agreement was made to refer the grievances to the Public Service Commission of the State. In the meantime, the teamsters were organizing, but after the street car trouble was settled temporarily the 21 policemen who had refused to ride on cars during the street car strike were charged with insubordination, but through the open support of Mayor Shank they were whitewashed by his Board of Safety. Shank said that he was not in favor of their riding in cars.

When the teamsters' strike was threatened, the business men of the city, in view of Shank's pro-labor sentiments, went to him and demanded that unless he could, by persuasion, avert the strike and further labor disasters, he should resign. Otherwise impeachment proceedings would be begun against him. Mayor Shank, at different time during his administration, had been in great fear of threatened impeachment, and the recent threat was strongly backed. He tried, but could not bring the labor leaders and the employers together, and resigned when his political advisers, seeking to protect themselves, left him to fight his battle alone. The pressure was too strong.

Down the High Cost of Living!

Join the great "Farm to Table" movement, for which Uncle Sam created his wonderful Parcel Post in the nation's great warfare on the high cost of living. See top of last column, first page today's WANT DIRECTORY.

GIRLS TO SELL FLOWERS FOR OLD PEOPLE'S HOME

Annual Benefit Festival to Be Held by Society Maids and Matrons Next Saturday.

Next Saturday will be "Flower Day," and scores of society maids and matrons will sell flowers downtown for the benefit of the Christian Old People's Home, 3821 Lawton avenue. The fall Flower Festival is given under the auspices of the Christian Women's National Benevolent Association. The association has established headquarters for the Flower Festival at 408 North Broadway.

A "flower shop" will be maintained at the headquarters, where purchases of cut flowers and potted plants may be made. Hundreds of fair vendors also will sell flowers in the large buildings and through the downtown shopping district.

Several of the patronesses will have automobiles decorated with flowers and will tour the city selling flowers and plants. Among them will be Mrs. Hudson Stillwell and Mrs. Edward A. Smith, Mrs. Frank M. Grant and Mrs. Henry Fairbank.

GOES ON HUNGER STRIKE

Woman Indicted for Perjury in Iowa Refuses Food.

IOWA CITY, Io., Nov. 29.—Miss Emma Ricord, indicted for perjury in connection with the disbarment proceedings against Attorney P. B. Kimball, is on a hunger strike in the County Jail here. Sheriff Fautz said today she had eaten nothing since her incarceration Tuesday night, but she is cheerful and appears to be in good health.

Miss Ricord claims to be a suffragette. At the hearing before District Judge Howell, when she made the statement denying she had spirited away witnesses in the Kimball case, upon which the indictment against her is based, she said she had attended the recent Pankhurst meeting in Chicago.

AUSTRIA RESTORES GRANT

Canadian Pacific Regains Right to Do Immigration Business

VIENNA, Austria, Nov. 29.—The Austro-Hungary Government, it is understood, is about to grant again to the Canadian Pacific Co. the right to carry on emigration business in the dual monarchy.

This was withdrawn recently in consequence of allegations that the company's agents were assisting Austro-Hungarian subjects to evade military service by emigrating. The restoration of the right was, it is said, requested by the British Government.

$3,871,633 in State Treasury.

JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 29.—State Treasurer Deal's report to Gov. Major for the month ending Nov. 30 shows there is $3,871,633 in the State Treasury. The balance in the revenue fund is $238,085. The total of general funds includes the State capitol building fund.

SIMPLE REMEDY IS FAVORITE HERE

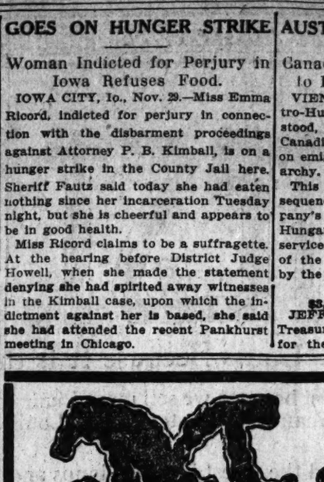
The simple mixture of buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-i-ka, the remedy which became famous by curing appendicitis, is a great favorite with St. Louis people. Adler-i-ka acts on BOTH the lower and upper bowel and drains off such surprising amounts of foul matter from the body that A SINGLE DOSE relieves sour stomach, constipation and gas on the stomach almost IMMEDIATELY. Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., corner Sixth and Washington. — ADVERTISEMENT.

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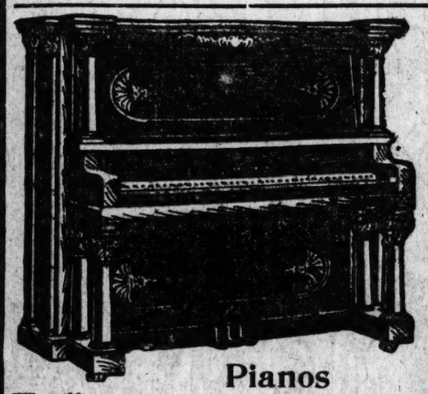
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The Diamond Disc Phonograph

This is covered by over 200 patents, and is now on display at Silverstone Music Co., 1124 Olive street.

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Next to owning an Edison, the greatest pleasure will be derived from introducing it to your friends. However, when you can point to an Edison Disc sound-reproducing instrument and say this is mine, it signifies the culmination of a well-founded pride and recognition of that master mind who labored so hard to attain perfection in sound reproduction for the benefit of mankind. This instrument was named the Edison New Diamond Disc Phonograph for the following reasons:

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DISC—Because the sound waves are engraved upon a (flat) disc record made from a composition called "condensite," entirely new to chemistry and invented for the new Edison. The method of recording the record is entirely new and the process of manufacture unique. These disc records will not warp or break, are not affected by extremes of heat or cold. 12" Record plays 7½ minutes, twice as long as other make disc records.

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This instrument will appeal to lovers of perfect music, as it sets the standard for the teaching of musical and vocal compositions, every note being reproduced with absolute fidelity to the composition, just as the composer intended—with all intervals, shading and perfect tempo. For this reason all of the World's best singers are now making records for the Edison. A committee recently appointed to select a sound-reproducing instrument for the Riddick School, Whittier and Evans, decided on the New Edison Disc. One thousand children attending this school will now have a great musical educator in the New Edison. It will be our pleasure to demonstrate and convince that the New Edison is in a class by itself and not to be compared with anything of like nature. Special concert every Saturday, 3 p. m.



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Fred Baumann, strong, heavy and amazingly well nourished, at Police Headquarters yesterday explained his action in throwing a stone through a window of the Hotel Jefferson dining room Friday night, saying:

"I was mad. I wanted to show those people I was mad."

Baumann is held on a charge of malicious destruction of property, a workhouse offense. He came here from Milwaukee, and says he was a skilled wood carver in Germany, but has not found work at that trade in this country. He said he was envious of those he saw having a good time in the hotel. He will be arraigned tomorrow.

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DEVICE TO RESTORE HEARING IS GIVEN TO O'FALLON CLINIC

French Inventor Stipulates That Instrument Must Be Used Only in Free Treatments.

With the stipulation that the device must be used only for the free treatment of poor patients, Dr. A. Maurice of Paris has placed his "kinesiphone" at the disposal of the O'Fallon clinic of the medical department of Washington University. This is an instrument for the treatment of oto-sclerosis, a disease of the ear, which causes total deafness, and which, until recently, was considered incurable. Dr. Maurice declares he has cured three-quarters of the cases submitted to him.

The O'Fallon clinic treats 350 to 500 cases of the ear each month. While the percentage of oto-sclerosis is not large, the cases are hopeless. The university has been doing so much extension work that it has no funds from which to appropriate $500 for this instrument.

"Oto-sclerosis has baffled scientists," said Dr. George A. Griot, who has been interested in social settlement work and is connected with the O'Fallon clinic, "and there has been no known cure until now. I read in a German medical journal that this instrument had been tested in Germany and had proved satisfactory.

"I entered into correspondence with Dr. Maurice in Paris and he has given me data concerning his own experience with the instrument. He says 75 per cent of the cases he treated were successful, 20 per cent were half successful, and five per cent were failures.

"It so happens that persons afflicted with oto-sclerosis are food for the quacks. The disease can not be cured, unless this French doctor has found a cure. We tell people here their hearing can not be restored and then the quacks get hold of them. The patient is promised a cure, spends all of his money, which too frequently means deprivation of necessaries of life for his family, but remains deaf. We have had persons come to the clinic who had spent $500 to $600 in the course of a few years for fruitless treatment of oto-sclerosis.

"Since the greatest authorities in Germany have approved the French-n's instrument, according to German medical journals, I believe it is worth trying and I have faith in its efficacy. Such an instrument would be a great blessing to the poor of St. Louis were it installed in the clinic where all could receive treatment free of charge."

Down the High Cost of Living!

Join the great "Farm to Table" movement, for which Uncle Sam created his wonderful Parcel Post in the nation's great warfare on the high cost of living. See top of last column, first page today's WANT DIRECTORY.

Marriages, Births and Deaths.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Ed S. Stigall ..... Champaign, Ill
Illa Helmick ..... Champaign, Ill
Oscar William Olsen ..... Brooklyn, N. Y.
Ella S. Engler ..... 4561 Connecticut
Henry C. Mitchell ..... Bonne Terre, Mo
Margaret Maule Osmond ..... 4628 Cook
Garrett Dean Scott ..... 320 Soulard
Adele Zimmermann ..... 320 Soulard
Milan Remenics ..... 3408 N. 9th
Mrs. Anna Smith ..... 3408 N. 9th
John A. Bolfing ..... Luxemburg, Mo
Estella F. Weber ..... Luxemburg, Mo
Tani Schuchman ..... 7153 Alabama
Mari Butjinit ..... 1608 N. 18th
Frank Elmer Wolfmeier ..... 4733 Marfitt
Lillian May Jaquet ..... 4681 Marfitt
Bernard Hugeback ..... 2727 Semple
Etta Brunk ..... Elchwoods, Mo
James P. Miles Jr. ..... 1920 O'Fallon
Leah Serenco ..... 1920 O'Fallon
Vincenzo Bullaro ..... 1617 N. 8th
Caterina Desimone ..... 1157 N. 11th
William Heinsmann ..... St. Louis
Alice Moore ..... St. Louis
Hans Bergmann ..... 1816 La Salle
Minnie Rauschbuh ..... 1816 La Salle
Robert A. Moseley ..... 1894 Benton
Mrs. Emma Russell ..... 1574 Benton

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BIRTHS RECORDED.

A. and L. Strueter, 3223 Gravois; boy.
A. and L. Youngman, 5453 Gravois; boy.
M. and M. Sigel, 5307 Garfield; boy.
H. and A. Schular, 4824 Carter; boy.
F. and M. Kroeger, 4349 Cadet; boy.
H. and A. Sanders, 4234 Fairfax; boy.
W. and L. Leisler, 1510 Mallinckrodt; boy.
A. and B. Saunders, 2347A Kossuth; boy.
F. and E. Berswinkel, 454 S. Rabberger; boy.
F. and E. Schad, 1386 Shawmut; boy.
H. and D. Meinhaerer, 5639 Shenandoah; boy.
H. and E. Ray, 1464 Goodfellow; boy.
J. and E. Buechen, 1801 Destrehan; boy.
A. and M. Oppel, 3310 Olive; boy.
F. and M. Harms, 4460 Olivia; boy.
W. and K. Unger, 2407 Menard; boy.
W. and C. Conrad, 2332 Adams; boy.
F. and M. Bradley, 3234 Virginia; boy.
H. and C. Sweetin, 1701 Baron; boy.
H. and H. Cleveland, 3852 Franklin; girl.
A. and H. Nieland, 2546 Tennessee; girl.
F. and C. Hoyer, 3049 East Da Soto; girl.
H. and H. Everett, 3852 Dodier; girl.
F. and E. Schmidt, 4338 Papin; girl.
C. and W. Watkins, 2620 Adams; girl.
F. and C. Piggott, 2411 N. 15th; girl.
F. and M. Karg, 4713 E. Water; girl.
M. and R. Zipf, 3063 Sheridan; girl.
F. and M. Heyer, 4728 Ashland; girl.
F. and H. Gilsinn, 6580 Bradley; girl.
S. and M. Skinner, 2854 Kennerly; girl.
F. and C. Watson, 1811A Montgomery; girl.
H. and A. Kenne, 4158 Pleasant; girl.
F. and S. Naegle, 3261 Prairie; girl.
W. and R. Richardson, 3500 E. 9th; girl.
O. and M. Carpenter, 4187 McPherson; girl.

BURIAL PERMITS.

Ferd Weber, 73, 2114 Allen; pneumonia.
C. Hoefel, 81, 2736 Madison; senility.
Emeline M. Hutchinson, 66, 3500 Washington; angina.
Jos. Roeder, 97, 227 Lafayette; accident.
Josephine Helfenberger, 82, 913 Utah; hemiplegia.
Albert N. Nelting, 3, 6651 Garner; meningitis.
Caroline D. Hall, 75, 5235 Page; ascites.
Marie L. Yost, 71, Hamilton Hotel; pneumonia.
Hannah Valentine, 42, 2810 Walnut; heart disease.
Charles Rinkerdt, 80, 1435 N. Newstead; pneumonia.
Caroline Jacobs, 73, 2540 Penn; apoplexy.
D. E. Thurston, 57, 1706 Washington; carcinoma.
Wm. Behlmer, 66, 5346 Wells; angina.
Frances Rinke, 30, 1201 Ann; bronchitis.
Otto Hahn, 50, 1506 Mississippi; emphysema.
W. E. McCall, 74, Masonic Home; heart disease.
Agnes Ryan, 28, 4721A Natural Bridge; peritonitis.
John E. Williams, 13, 1135 Kentucky; accident.

Drivers Ask Lower Taxi Rate.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Application for a reduction in local public taxicab rates came from an unexpected quarter today when 200 individual owners of machines, through their union, requested that the City Council follow the recent example of New York City in this respect.

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U. S. SUES TO DISSOLVE AMERICAN CAN COMPANY

Alleges Concern Operates in Restraint of Trade in Violation of Sherman Law.

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 29.—The Government today through the Attorney-General filed suit in the United States District Court of Maryland to dissolve the American Can Co., charging conspiracy and combination in restraint of trade in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

The American Can Co. was organized in 1901 as a consolidation of several large factories in various states. It was capitalized at $88,000,000, of which $82,466,600 is outstanding, equally divided between preferred and common stock.

J. Hobart Moore, Daniel G. Reid, Fred S. Wheeler, Henry W. Phelps, William T. Graham and George G. McMurty are named as active in forming the company. Among its directors are E. C. Converse, a director of the United States Steel Corporation; Francis L. Hine, president of the First National Bank of New York; William T. Graham, former president of the company; W. H. Moore, W. F. Dutton, R. H. Ismon, James McLean, George C. McMurty, J. W. Ogden, H. W. Phelps and Ray Skofield of New York, and J. H. Moore and F. Rudolph of Chicago.



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300	Jewell	65	400	Brambach	110	450	Wheelock	165	600	Chickering	225
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Business Men Held on Fraud Charge. NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 29.—Samuel L. Harris, president, and J. G. Thalaker, secretary and treasurer of the Capital Security Co., with home offices in Norfolk, were arrested today upon indictments found against them in Fargo, N. D., charging conspiracy to defraud by use of the mails. The defendants gave bail for $2000 to appear Tuesday. They resisted efforts to have them sent to Fargo.

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50c Nadinola 38c
50c Florida Water 39c
25c Quinceseed Cream 19c
50c Eupepsia Tablets..... 39c
75c Pompeian Cream 41c
50c Pompeian Cream 29c
35c lb. Violet Talcum Powder 19c
50c Cucumber Cream 35c
15c 47-11 Glycerine Soap (violet) 9c
25c Imported French Violet Soap 14c

HAIR PREPARATIONS.
50c Packard's Hair Tonic ..38c
50c Parisian Sage 38c
50c Hay's Hair Health 33c
25c Liquid Green Soap (4-oz.) 19c
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30c Sugar Milk, lb..... 25c
35c Castoria, 25c; 3 for....65c
10c lb. Epsom Salts 5c
25c U.S.P. Citrate Magnesia, 10c
15c doz. Aspirin Capsules....8c
25c White Pine Cough Syrup.18c
25c Pint Witch Hazel..... 15c
100 Calomel Tablets, any strength 19c
15c Wood Alcohol, pint..... 10c
25c 100 Hinkle's Cascara Pills 16c

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SUFFRAGISTS OPEN NATIONAL MEETING IN WASHINGTON

Delegates Outline Plans for Campaign to Obtain Amendment of U. S. Constitution.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—With announced intention of starting speedily on its way an amendment to the Federal Constitution that will enfranchise women, hundreds of suffragists arrived here today to attend the forty-fifth convention of the National American Woman Suffrage Association.

Such an amendment and the women's right to it, now that they vote on national question in 10 states, is to be urged upon Congress, the suffrage leaders say, with vigorous determination.

They also assert that they will attempt to obtain during their week's stay here an expression from President Wilson which might be regarded as the Democratic party's policy on the woman suffrage question.

Delegates Discuss Questions.

Hotel lobbies buzzed tonight with discussion by groups of delegates of the questions which will come before the convention when it begins its sessions Monday.

Arrival and certification of delegates, meetings of the official board and of the Executive Committee and a luncheon by the National College Equal Suffrage League, at which Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, president of the national association; Miss Jane Addams and other prominent leaders spoke, filled the day.

Enthusiasm will be kept alive over Sunday by a mass meeting tomorrow, at which Dr. Shaw, Miss Addams and Senator Helen Ring Robinson of Colorado will be speakers.

The Executive Committee at a meeting took up for consideration two of the important matters which will come before the convention. One was the proposal to adopt a new constitution for the association in accordance with the recommendation of the Constitutional Revision Committee.

Printing Plant Planned.

The other was as to the founding of a business corporation, capitalized at $50,000 to be known as the National Suffrage Publishing Co., which would have charge of the printing of suffrage literature for the national, affiliated and other associations.

The trustees of the National American Woman Suffrage Association would hold a majority of the stock, so as to maintain control, although the directors of the company would not be officers of the association.

The purpose of the proposed new constitution is to place the organization on a fixed financial basis with a budget to be presented each year to the convention for approval and assessment made on affiliated organizations, partly in proportion to their budgets.

Jane Addams Discusses Franchise.

At the college women's meeting, Miss Addams declared that the recently acquired franchise in Illinois already had given the women of that State great influence in needed reforms. Miss Lucy Burns of this city, said that one-fifth of the Senate, one-seventh of the House of Representatives and one-sixth of the electors now come from states where women vote on national questions.

A "Men's League for Woman Suffrage," whose main object is to work for suffrage amendment has been organized here with Dr. Harvey W. Wiley as its president.

GEORGE B. POST, FAMOUS ARCHITECT, IS DEAD

Designer Attained Fame Through World Building and Other Noted American Structures.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—George Browne Post, one of the most prominent architects in America and one of the oldest, died yesterday at his country residence at Bernardsville, N. J., after a short illness. Mr. Post was at his office on Tuesday, although he was not in good health, and went to Bernardsville next day to spend Thanksgiving. His illness became serious Thanksgiving morning.

Mr. Post would have celebrated his seventy-sixth birthday on Dec. 15.

As designer of some of the famous buildings in New York and the country, Mr. Post won fame in his profession. Among the structures he designed are the New York Stock Exchange, the New York Produce Exchange, the College of the City of New York, the Pulitzer (World) Building, the Western Union Building in Day street, the Prudential Life Building in Newark, the Wisconsin State Capitol, the Cleveland Trust Co. Building in Cleveland, and the Manufacturers' Liberal Art Buildings, covering 40 acres, at the Chicago Exposition.

He also designed the Equitable Life Assurance Society Building, which was destroyed by fire, and several well known residences, including those of Cornelius Vanderbilt and Collis P. Huntington.

FALLS DEAD ON SIDEWALK

Unidentified Man Is Said to Have Had Apoplexy.

An unidentified man collapsed and fell to the sidewalk in front of 721 North Spring avenue Saturday afternoon. He died before an ambulance arrived to take him to the city hospital. A physician who was called by the police attributed the man's death to apoplexy.

A letter was found in one of the man's pockets recommending "the bearer," S. Lynn for employment to anyone needing his services. The letter was signed, John T. Murphy, 3864 Page boulevard.

The selection of a boarding place is usually made by the person seeking it seated in a comfortable chair with the Post-Dispatch Big Boarders' Directory

HOME RULE SETTLEMENT AIM OF THIRD PARTIES

Liberals and Opponents Negotiate Despite Action of Asquith in Refusing Compromise.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Although Bonar Law charges Asquith with slamming the door against a settlement of the home rule question, serious negotiations are going on between Liberals and the opposition, not directly through the leaders, but through third parties of influence.

Law's threats of civil war are his way of obtaining better terms, but the Cabinet is unanimous in adhering to its position.

Meantime the Nationalists are chafing under menaces. Ulster Orangemen are arming and drilling in many places, although the Irish party entirely disapproved such proceedings as giving too great appearance of importance to Carson's campaign.

Asquith's speech at Leeds was received with unbounded enthusiasm, whereas Law's appeal to sword and rebellion is frightening a large section of Unionists who render him no public support

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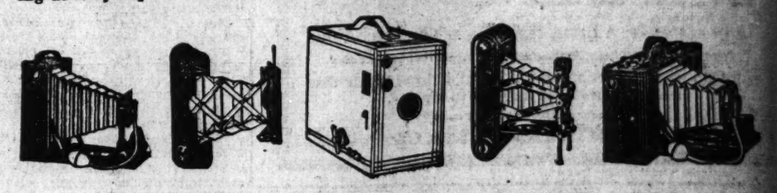
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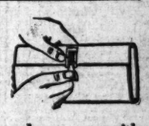
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SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH'S REVIEW OF MARKET CONDITIONS

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET HAS THE DULLEST DAY IN OVER TWENTY-FIVE YEARS

Light Transactions During the Week Cause Comment on Business Outlook.

LONDON IS SKEPTICAL

Despite Attractive Prices Foreigners Refuse to Buy American Stocks.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—The Evening Post, in its copyrighted financial weekly review today, says:

"Whether the relapse in Stock Exchange activity this week to the smallest daily total of sales in 25 years does or does not mean a similar contraction in the volume of general business to small dimensions, is doubtless open to discussion.

"Even if the general character of this financial forecast were to be admitted—and the present tendency of the steel trade is at least in that direction—it would require a somewhat daring inference to suppose that volume of trade would have to come down to that of 1838. Analogies do not present themselves in just that way.

"Our abnormally dull seasons on the Stock Exchange in recent years have frequently been accompanied or followed by dull times in trade; but the slackening in business went to no such lengths as that in stocks and bonds.

"It could not possibly do so. The familiar argument that 'business cannot stop moving when the needs of 100,000,000 American consumers have to be provided for,' is not overwhelmingly convincing to trade reactions; but it certainly disposes of the possible decline in business operations to a tenth or a twentieth part of what it lately was.

"The truth of the matter is, that the Stock Exchange is extravagant in its way of reflecting things.

Transactions Are Small.

"Because daily sales of stocks in 1909 ranged below 500,000 shares, and rose to 3,000,000 or 4,000,000 in April, 1901, it was certainly not to be inferred that merchants and manufacturers in the later month were doing five or six times as much business as in the earlier period.

"Neither is anyone likely to suppose that the country's trade is about to fall to one-tenth of what it was a few months ago, because the daily transactions on the Stock Exchange, which used to be 500,000, got down last Monday to 50,000.

"It is not in this way that one draws deductions from the stock market. A much more useful analogy may be drawn from the temper and attitude of the market. For three weeks past all Wall street has been insisting that Stock Exchange prices must decline. Everything that could break them, from a Mexican crisis to a half-page advertisement of Thomas W. Lawson, was hurled at it; but prices stood immovable.

"If worse things were to come in the financial world, it was clear that the market ought to break again; and yet it would not break. If the daily trading had been 500,000 shares, instead of 50,000, it is probable that all Wall street would have gasped in wonderment at the amazing demonstration of strength.

"The experts who lean their heads together, in the easy chairs before the blackboards, would have exchanged their theories of what was behind so impregnable a market.

Future Market a Guess.

"What this may mean, so far as regards the future course of the Stock Exchange itself, is very much a conjecture. But what it may reasonably be taken to foreshadow, as regards the course of general trade in the immediate future, is that reaction itself will presently be attracting comment because it holds up so singularly well.

"It will perhaps be said of general business, as it has been said with somewhat wearisome iteration of stock market prices, that there is nothing to expect, but for things to get worse. We do not regard the successive happening of an unfavorable nature, we shall hear that now, at least, the blow has fallen.

"But if business, on conservative basis of operations, thereupon listens calmly to the prophets of destruction, and goes about its own affairs without regard to them, it will fairly duplicate the stock market in this respect.

"One of the strongest arguments for postponing the vote on the banking bill to the winter session was the obscurity which was being thrown upon it, alike by its opponents and by its defenders.

"The spokesmen for the bill were beginning to talk of the money trust coercing the Senate, of the criminal Stock Exchange, of the need for teaching a lesson to the bankers. But the hostile critics were none the even further, reading irredeemable paper money into the unhappy bill, pointing to it as a monster, hitherto unknown to political economy, which now described by the interesting name of 'fiat credit,' and reminding us that if the bill is passed the presidential campaign of 1916 will have been fought in vain.

Bill Has Good Support.

"All of these high deliverances, whether from friends or enemies, have no really serious relation to the bill. They properly belong to the class of oratory or literature known as humors of the day. But what that other humorist, Sir John Falstaff, would have called their 'damnable iteration,' and some inevitable results in clouding the atmosphere.

"Open Senate debate being now assured, there is prospect of a little fresh air in the discovery. In Congress itself, the danger was not so much that these eccentric views of the pending questions would of themselves influence the vote of either house, as that the direction of attention to such imaginary flaws in the bill might serve the highly undesirable purpose of diverting attention from other points, where thorough consideration and intelligent amendment are required. There are enough of these to insure the riveting of public attention on the forthcoming debate.

"The stock market closed 1 to 1¼ points higher than the final figures of a week ago. The week's closing session was quiet with prices about steady."

LONDON TRADE IS ALSO PROFESSIONAL

Bankers Do Not Expect Early Reduction in Interest Rates.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Despite your market's steadiness in the face of high Wall street money rates and other influences, London does not yet favor purchases of American stocks simply because we are unable to perceive any change in certain fundamental condition, which for so long have operated adversely.

Also, it is evident that high financial circles here discern more prospect of activity and profit in fresh loan negotiations than in financing the movement of existing stocks.

As for the gold withdrawals from New York by Canada, it is believed that the movement will not go much further. But it is also considered probable that the gold already sent to Montreal will not return, because it was cheaply taken in connection with the machinery of the new Canadian banking law.

On the other hand, it is admitted that your bankers have really sent this gold for account of London, where Canada is still borrowing heavily.

Financial Circles Cheerful.

In our own financial circles, the undertone of moderate optimism continues, and it is justified, in the sense that the stock markets are intrinsically sound. Nevertheless external influences are by no means wholly favorable.

The worst feature to those who look below the surface is Lombard street's disposition to anticipate the future by unduly lowering rates on bills.

If this process is continued, it will have bad effect. I know confidentially of important loan operations impending in the near future which are likely to have a chastening effect on the money markets and on investment stocks.

In our best financial quarters the real improvement of international monetary conditions is not ignored, especially the increased holdings of gold by nearly all European state banks. But it is also perceived that the severe foreign loan flotations are likely to have two effects—they must make the Bank of England continue on the defensive while they may considerably stimulate the present declining trade. Among the great number of borrowers, Russia will probably loom large in the next few years.

Bank Rate Is Unchanged.

Meantime, the Bank of England's gold, though fairly large, is still under last year, and no reduction of the bank rate is yet in sight.

In particular, the renewed decline in your exchange rates revives fears of gold shipments to New York, while after the French loan is floated next month it is highly probable that the Bank of France will again become aggressive in the gold market.

Your own power to command gold on legitimate trade basis is undoubtedly considerable; but the position is confused by the enormous lines of short-term American obligations maturing, and the disinclination here to renew them, except on onerous terms. But ordinary American trade bills are taken readily.

Bank Reserves Are $906,950 Below Legal Requirements.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—The statement of the actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week (five days), shows a deficit of $906,950 in the aggregate cash reserve for legal requirements.

The statement is as follows:

ACTUAL CONDITION:

Loans—$1,911,122,000, decrease $12,114,000.
Specie—$412,997,000, decrease $21,423,000.
Legal tenders—$76,978,000, decrease $427,000.
Net deposits—$1,730,233,000, decrease $37,000.
Circulation—$44,630,000, decrease $208,000.
Banks' cash reserve in vault—$236,402,000.
Trust companies' cash reserve in vaults—$61,382,000.
Aggregate cash reserve—$298,078,000, decrease $208,000.
Specie cash reserve—$202,500, decrease $12,524,000.
Trust companies' reserve with clearing house members carrying 25 per cent cash reserve—$12,382,000.
Trust companies' reserve with State banks and trust companies not in Greater New York not included in clearing house statement—$7,522,000.
Total cash reserve—$317,982,000, increase $5,282,000.
Reserve required—$317,089,050, increase $20,400.
Total surplus—$892,950, decrease $44,400.
Total deposits—$311,826,000, increase $5,000.

United Shoe Machinery Stocks.

Reported by Simon, Brockmire & Clifford, 215 North Fourth street.

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 29.—United Shoe Machinery common, 48¼ asked; 47¾ bid. Preferred, 92¾ asked; 92½ bid. Sales, 215 shares.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Reported weekly for the Post-Dispatch by G. H. Walker & Co., 307 North Fourth st.
FOR WEEK ENDING NOV. 29.

STOCKS.	Sales.	Open Monday.	High for Week.	Low for Week.	Close Sat.
Alaska Gold	3,100	19	19½	18½	18½
Amalgamated Copper	4,500	65¾	70¾	65¾	68
American Beet Sugar	400	23	23½	23	23
American Can common	22,200	24	26¾	23¾	24½
American Can preferred	4,800	92	93	90	92
American Car & Foundry Co. common	900	43¼	43¾	43½	43½
American Car & Foundry Co. preferred	200	112	112	112	112
American Cotton Oil	200	38	38	37¼	37½
American Ice	400	21	21½	21	21½
American Locomotive common	100	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾
American Smelter common	62	62	63¼	62	62
American Sugar	300	108¼	109¾	108	108
American Telephone	5,800	119	120¼	118¾	120¼
American Tobacco preferred	800	99¾	100	99¾	99¾
Anaconda Copper	1,400	39	39¾	38¾	39¼
Atchison common	3,400	98¾	99¾	97¾	98¼
Atlantic Coast Line	600	117¼	117¼	117	117¼
Baltimore & Ohio	1,200	92¾	93	92	92¾
Bethlehem Steel common	700	29	30	29	29¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	2,000	86¾	87¼	86	87¼
California Petroleum	400	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾
Canadian Pacific	34,500	224	227¾	224	226¾
Central Leather common	2,100	24	24	23¾	23¾
Chesapeake & Ohio	1,500	53¾	54	53¾	53¾
Chicago Great Western	700	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul common	2,700	96	96¾	95¾	96¼
Chicago Northwestern	100	125¾	125¾	125¾	125¾
Chino Copper	4,600	51¾	53¾	51¾	53¼
Colorado Fuel & Iron	600	27¼	27¾	27¼	27¾
Colorado Southern common	100	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾
Consolidated Gas	1,700	126½	127	126	126¾
Corn Products Refining common	800	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
Erie common	4,400	26¾	26¾	26¼	26¼
Erie first preferred	900	40¼	41¼	40¼	41
General Electric	2,100	139	139	138	139
General Motor common	200	36¼	36¾	36¼	36¾
General Motor preferred	300	73	75	73	74¾
Great Northern Ore	1,400	32	32¼	31¾	31¾
Great Northern preferred	1,400	125¼	124¾	123¾	123¾
Guggenheim	1,400	43	45	43	44¾
Illinois Central	200	106¾	107	106¾	107
Interboro Metropolitan common	600	14	14	13¾	13¾
Interboro Metropolitan preferred	3,100	58	58¼	57¾	58
International Harvester	700	102	102	100¾	100¾
Kansas City Southern common	300	24½	24½	24½	24½
Kansas City Southern preferred	100	63¾	63¾	63¾	63¾
Laclede Gas	100	97½	97½	97½	97½
Lehigh Valley Railway	7,700	145¾	147¾	145¾	146¾
Liggett & Myers common	100	205¾	206¾	205¾	206¾
Liggett & Myers preferred	300	110	110	110	110
Loose-Wiles common	100	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾
Louisville & Nashville	100	131¾	131¾	131¾	131¾
May Department Stores	100	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾
Mexican Petroleum	4,200	43¼	46¾	43¼	45
Miami Copper	1,200	21	21¾	21	21¾
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	500	128	128	128	128
Missouri, Kansas & Texas common	400	20	20	19¾	19¾
Missouri, Kansas & Texas preferred	100	39	39	38¾	38¾
Missouri Pacific	9,800	23	24¼	23	24¼
National Enamel common	300	47¾	48¾	47¾	48¾
Nevada Consolidated	300	19¼	19¾	19¼	19¾
New York Central	1,700	97¾	98¾	97¾	98¾
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford	6,700	64¾	65¾	64¾	65¾
New York, Ontario & Western	100	35	35	35	35
Norfolk & Western	1,900	103¾	104	103¾	103¾
North American Co.	100	85	85	85	85
Northern Pacific	1,600	106¼	107¾	106¼	106¼
Pacific Mail	400	23¾	24¼	23¾	23¾
Pennsylvania	6,400	111¾	112¾	111¾	112¾
People's Gas	300	110¾	111¾	110¾	111¾
Pittsburg Coal preferred	2,000	87¾	88¼	87	87¾
Pressed Steel Car common	100	37	37¾	37	37¾
Pullman Co.	200	152¼	152¼	152¼	152¼
Ray Consolidated	2,500	17¾	18¼	17	18¼
Reading common	61,100	158	161¾	158	161¼
Republic Iron & Steel common	300	19¼	20	19¼	19¾
Republic Iron & Steel preferred	400	79	80	78¾	80
Rock Island common	1,400	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
Rock Island preferred	300	22¾	22¾	22¾	22¾
Rumely common	700	15	16	14¾	14¾
Rumely preferred	400	37½	38	36	36
St. Louis & San Francisco common	200	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
St. Louis & San Francisco 1st preferred	500	13¾	15¾	15	15
St. Louis & San Francisco 2d preferred	1,000	5	5	5	5
Sloss-Sheffield	200	26¼	26½	26	26
Southern Pacific	22,600	86¼	87¾	86¼	87¼
Southern Railway common	1,700	21¼	21¾	21¼	21¾
Tennessee Copper	1,000	24	24¾	24	24¾
Texas Oil Co.	1,400	113¾	113¾	111¾	112¾
Texas Pacific	100	13¼	13¼	13¼	13¼
Third Av.	1,100	39	39¾	39	39
Toledo common	100	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
Union Pacific common	56,100	149¾	152	149¾	151½
Union Pacific preferred	800	81½	82¼	81¾	82¼
United States Rubber	1,800	54¼	54¾	53	53
United States Steel common	107,400	96¾	98¾	96¾	98¼
United States Steel preferred	3,000	104¾	105¾	104¾	104¾
Utah Copper	4,500	47¾	48¾	47¾	47¾
Virginia-C. C. C.	600	20¾	21	20¾	20¾
Wabash Preferred	100	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
Western Maryland	1,500	36	36¼	35¼	35¼
Western Union	300	63	63	63	63
Westinghouse	700	63¾	65	63¾	63¾
Woolworth common	4,300	85¾	91¾	85¾	85¾
Woolworth preferred	100	118	118	118	118

*Ex-dividend during the week.

Total sales for the week, 515,700 shares.

CANDY COMMON ACTIVE ON THE LOCAL MARKET

ST. LOUIS CLEARING HOUSE.

	Clearings.	Balances.
Yesterday	$13,020,750	$1,158,620
This week	70,099,654	4,875,207
Last week	72,196,008	4,850,283
Last year	72,196,008	4,850,283
This month ending today	265,976,673	26,805,800
Same month last year	357,258,402	24,953,887

Trade in local securities yesterday centered in National Candy common, over 200 shares chaging hands at $8.50, or steady figures. The issue was offered at $8.75 at the close of the session, without bids. Other miscellaneous shares were quiet.

Bankers' Trust sold in a small way at $193 and an odd lot of National Bank of Commerce at $128.50, with late bids at $128. Other shares in this class were neglected.

United Railways securities were inactive and unchanged from the preceding session. Bonds were irregular on the quotations established.

SINGLE SESSION.
CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.
International Bank		400
Nat. Bank of Commerce	125	130
Bankers Trust		194
Commonwealth Trust	88	92
Mercantile Trust		325
United Railways com.		11¼
do pfd.		37
do 4s		34½
Broadway 4½s		94½
E. St. L. & Sub. 5s		91¼
K. C. Home Tel. 5s ($500)		90
do 5s ($100)		91
Central Coal & Coke pfd.	70	75
do com.	11¾	12
Chicago Ry. Equipment	50	60
Hy. Walker D. G. 1st pfd.	100	
Hydraulic Press Brick com.	1	3
National Candy 1st pfd.	86	90
do 2d pfd.	73	75
do com.	5	8
Union Sand & Material	70	80
(Alton Bridge) St. Clair, Madison & St. L. B. R. R.	70	80
St. L. Brewing Ass'n 6s	75½	80
City of St. L. 4s (1928)	98¾	
do (1929)	98¾	
do (1951)	99	
do (1918)	99	

SECOND SESSION.

8 National Bank of Commerce at $128.50, $2000 E. St. L. & Sub. 5s at $91.

SINGLE SESSION.

10 Bankers' Trust at $195.
6 Bankers' Trust at $193.
5 Bankers' Trust at $192.
25 National Candy com. at $8.50.
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New York Money.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Money on call nominal; no loans. Time loans, expiring 30 and 90 days, 6@6¼; six months, 5½@6; prime commercial paper, 7@7½. Sterling exchange steady, 60 days' bills demanded 4.84½; Commercial bills, 4.80½. Bar silver, 57½c. Mexican dollars, 44½c. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds easy.

New York Coffee Market

Reported by Simon, Brockmire & Clifford, 215 North Fourth street.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.

MONTHS	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
December				
March				
May				
July				

Sales, 32,750 bags. Closed Steady.

CATTLE ADVANCE SLIGHTLY ON A LIGHT SUPPLY

All Grades Find Stronger Prices in the Holiday Market.

Comparative Receipts National Stockyards.

	This Week.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
Cattle	13,000	21,000	29,776
Hogs	60,000	60,000	63,302
Sheep	11,000	7,000	6,663
Horses-Mules	2,000	1,000	3,223

Receipts of cattle were very moderate the past week, but as the condition of the market the previous period was anything but reassured, it was expected that the runs would not be of overwhelming volume. The demand showed very little more strength the past week than it did the previous period, but by reason of the small supply, sellers were able to be more independent and slight advances marked the trade throughout. Because there was only a small supply of beef steers, and for this reason alone, prices showed a general advance of a good 15c, while extremes were measured by 25c. Not many good steers were received and nothing prime was offered. The week's top was $8.65; two loads of heavy steers sold at the price. Bulk of the steers went in a range of $7@8.35.

With only a small supply of butcher cattle available and a slightly better demand, best grades of cows and heifers advanced 15@25c. Medium grades, however, showed very little change and closed about steady with the preceding week. Best heifers of the week's showing sold largely at $8@8.50, with nothing above the latter figure. Medium to good grades went mostly at $6.25@7.75.

Minor Grades Higher.

A few good beef cows sold in a range of $6.15@7, but the proportion above the $6 line was small and medium to good grades of cows, which comprised the bulk of each day's offerings, went at $5@6. Canners and cutters advanced about a dime for the week, bulk of the cutters sold in a range of $4.50@4.75, and canners at $4@4.40. Bulls were generally unchanged, although a good, strong market moved each day's showing. Vealers opened steady, but closed 50@75c higher, with extreme advances of $1. Five week's top was $11.

Stockers and feeders found a more active trade and the movement was much better than the previous week. Prices were 10@15c higher generally. Bulk of feeders sold at $7@7, and stockers at $6.50@6.85.

Receipts in the quarantine division were moderate and with the exception of two days, all of them came from canner territory. Only a small crop of Oklahoma steers showed up and the trade was strong all week. A bunch of Oklahoma brought $7.35, the week's top, and other steers from the same State went in a range of $6.60@7.25.

There was a good demand for canners and prices were 10@15c higher. Bulk of the canners sold in a range of $4.15@4.40, cutters and heretics were 10@25c higher, good cows and heifers advanced a flat quarter.

Slight Change in Hogs.

Just a fairly good supply of hogs was received and there was no great big change to the trade. The week opened over the top at $7.90, the bulk selling at $7.50@7.80, but later the top was down to $7.80 and the bulk went at $7.40@7.70, but still later there was a reaction and the top was up to $7.90, while the bulk sold at $7.50@7.70. It was dull trade the greater portion of the week.

The best demand was for the good grade hogs with a little weight and the more the better if they had the quality also. Best pigs and lights were some lower, while the poorer grades showed material loss and were extra slow sellers owing to the light demand from the East. Pigs and lights reached the lowest basis they have been on in several weeks.

Butchers and shipping hogs with weight 200 pounds and over went at $7.70 and higher as a rule, while the fair to good mixed and packing hogs in general sold at $7.60@7.80. Lots of mixed hogs that did not carry much weight sold at $7.30@7.50. Best lights under 165 pounds sold at $7.40@7.65, fair grades $7.15@7.35, best pigs under 125 pounds $6.75@6.85, fair grades $6@6.40 and common ones under $6.

Sheep Gain During Week.

While the supply of sheep was better than the previous week, there was a light sheep and lamb run. The week started off on a lower basis, but later improved until prices were fully as good as they were at the close of the previous week. On Monday several lots of lambs from Iowa sold at $7.50, which was the top of the market, but later in the week $7.75 was reached.

The buyers were unable to sort the lambs very deep, owing to the good demand and the moderate number on sale, so that culls were scarce. Culls sold at 25@6 and fair lambs at $6.50@7, and medium and good kinds at $7.25 and better. Several times the number of lambs offered would have found ready sale, as most of the buyers secured half the number that they really wanted.

Mutton sheep found ready sale also, as the best went at $4.60@4.65, and there were several times the number on sale needed to meet the demand. Plain kinds sold at $4.25@4.40. Best stockers and choppers sold at $3.50@4, fair grades $2.75@3.35; old cull sheep, $3.25@2.60, and bucks, $3.75. Fat bucks found a good market, but thin ones were not wanted.

Horses Stronger, Mules Steady.

The usual Thanksgiving week supply of horses was on hand and the Southern demand furnished a neat supply of buyers for the auction. They were active in taking hold and paying the prices, and all of the previous week's decline was regained and the week closed with a good, strong trade from this section. Any kind of a good toppy Southern horse met with sale that was satisfactory, and the general trade from this section was very good all week.

Eastern purchasers are complaining of prices being too high for them to make money, as the demand in the Eastern market has slackened and they were here to buy them lower, and like the week previous, they bought them at lower values.

CHICAGO PROVISIONS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
PORK.				
Jan.	21.15	21.15	20.97	21.12
May	21.15	21.15	20.97	21.12
LARD.				
Nov.	10.70	10.70	10.65	10.70
Jan.	10.70	10.70	10.65	10.70
May	11.05	11.05	11.00	11.05
RIBS.				
Jan.	11.00	11.00	10.90	10.97

Chicago Cash Grain.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Wheat—No. 2 red, 97@97½c; No. 3 red, 96½@97c; No. 2 hard, 94½@95½c; No. 3 hard, 93½@94½c; No. 1 northern, 94½@95½c; No. 2 northern, 93½@94½c; No. 3 spring, 92½@94½c; No. 1 durum, 92½@93½c; No. 2 durum, 91½@92½c. Corn—No. 2, 71½@72c; No. 3 yellow, 71½@72c; No. 4 yellow, 70½@71½c; No. 3 white, 71½@72c; No. 4 white, 70½@71½c. Oats—No. 2 white, 41½@42c; No. 3 white, 41@41½c; No. 4 white, 39½@40½c. Rye—No. 2, 67½@68c; No. 3, 66½@67½c. Barley, 50@65c. Timothy seed, $3.50@4.50. Clover seed, $12@14.50. Pork, $21.15. Lard, $10.70. Ribs, $10.90@11.05. Short clear sides, $11.75@12.

Mr. Banker

With the proposed New Currency law, the trust companies will be placed on a nearer par to the national banks. Trust companies grow because they advertised from the time of their inception. The trust companies have told through the daily newspapers the goods they have to offer for sale. The trust companies recognized the fact that they had something to sell—a something that the people needed—a something that was a big part of human life, and human life is human interest. The trust companies appealed to human interest—the vital part of existence. They have taught the people all about banking and the drawing of wills; they advertise their safety deposit vaults and try to tell the public that there is no mystery about banking. State and national banks have offerings to the public, the same as the trust companies. Then Mr. National Banker or Mr. State Banker or Mr. Private Banker, why not tell the public all about your business. You have no better medium in St. Louis than the Post-Dispatch. It is the one newspaper in every home and the only newspaper in many homes.

LOW GRADE STAPLE IS BEAR FACTOR IN COTTON MARKET

New York Future Contracts Are Erratic and Several Explanations Are Offered.

The cotton market is heavy and offerings far outnumber the sales. Sellers are finding that buyers are not so eager to take the cotton, even at reduced prices, and the grades are irregular and unsatisfactory. Cotton shippers are making unusual efforts to dispose of their stocks and this has caused a decline in spot cotton far greater than the decline in futures. Just now there is a better hedge in selling future contracts against spots than there has been for a season or two, as it is figured out on paper.

That the present condition is deceptive and is the result of the revision of differences in the New York market is possible, almost probable. If the present parity between spots and futures is the result of the revision, it may continue indefinitely. It is nearer a real parity, based on costs, than has been known for a long time.

Low grades are largely responsible for the decline in prices and their accumulation has led to the belief that further declines are in order. Most of the large operators in the spot markets are bearish and are revising their estimates of the crop upward and, although some of these shippers have large stocks of cotton on hand, they seem rather to favor a decline, possibly with the idea of taking in their hedges at a low figure.

Sharp Upturns Are Probable.

It may be borne in mind that this heavy hedge selling creates a large short interest in the future markets and this interest will have to be liquidated by buying and may bring about sharp upturns in the future markets, especially as the end of the month draws near, each month in turn, and so maintain a heavy discount in the far months.

Markets do not generally maintain one level of prices and the most bearish feature to the cotton at present is the price. Quoting from the "Farmers' Bulletin," issued by the Federal Department of Agriculture, the average price paid to producers of cotton in the United States Nov. 1, 1913, was 12 cents a pound, compared with 10.9 cents in 1912, 8.9 cents in 1911 and 11.2 cents average for five years.

Under the present conditions a slump in the price of cotton is not to be wondered at and the only question is at what price will consumers take the cotton, low grades and all. That they will take it all goes without saying.

Spinners in this country are not heavily stocked with cotton and this is true of Europe, too. In the United States trade is very good and no complaints because for complaint by manufacturers. Some irregularity is noted in the yarn market and there is a great difference of opinion as to the proper price of yarns, but reductions are not likely.

Cloth Makers Behind.

Manufacturers of cloth cannot keep up with their orders and are under a rapid fire of inquiries about deliveries that are overdue. There is no chance for any immediate reduction of the price there, as they have no stocks of finished goods to sell, but are shipping as fast as they can finish.

The very dull export trade cannot affect manufacturers in this country while the present condition of domestic trade continues. Reports from abroad are depressing. In spot cottons transactions are smaller and prices are largely nominal. Stocks are accumulating as the receipts, especially in the larger inland markets, are very large and the shipments small. A great part of this cotton is finding a place of finance and the markets where money is the easiest will get the most cotton.

Selling at home seems to be impossible, owing to the low grades which have frightened off those buyers who usually "make it easy" for the small country merchant and planter. Where cotton is pressed for sale, consigning to a large market seems to be the solution of the problem. It is to be hoped that this cotton will be evenly distributed among the markets that irregular prices will be largely obviated.

NEW YORK FUTURE CLOSE.

	Closing Friday.	High. Sat'day.	Low. Sat'day.	Close Sat'day.
January	12.38@39	12.44	12.34	12.40@41
February	12.38@39			12.40@41
March	12.37@38	12.66	12.54	12.60@61
April	12.37@38			12.60@61
May	12.37@38	12.66	12.57	12.60@61
June	12.37@38			12.60@61
July	12.37@38	12.64	12.54	12.58@59
August	12.44@45	12.52	12.42	12.46@47
October	12.02@03	12.06	11.96	12.00@01
December	12.02@03	12.06	11.96	12.00@01

St. Louis—Tone of market, dull, unchanged; sales, none; ordinary, 10¾c; good ordinary, 11¼c; low middling, 12¼c; middling, 12¾c; good middling, 13¼c; middling fair, 14c; tinges, ¼c to 1c off from white.

CHICAGO STOCK MARKET

Reported daily for the Post-Dispatch by G. H. Walker & Co., 307 North Fourth street.
CHICAGO, Nov. 29.

	Bid.	Asked.
National Biscuit com.	119	120
do pfd	119¾	120
American Can com.	26	27¾
do pfd	89	90
National Carbon com.	135	137
do pfd	113¼	120
Diamond Match	138	144
Quaker Oats com.	240	249
do pfd	101	103
American Ship com.	23¼	30¼
do pfd	69	75
Chicago City Railway	100	120
Sears-Roebuck com.	172	175
do pfd	112	117¼
Title and Trust	210	250
Swift & Co.	104¾	105
Illinois Brick	91	100
Tool com.	55¼	56¾
Edison	127¾	129

Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—The metal market was dull and practically nominal. Lake copper: $15@15.50; electrolytic, $14.75@15; casting, $14.25@14.50. Iron unchanged.

TIDE EBBS AND FLOWS IN THE GRAIN MARKET

Week's Price Range on Wheat Is Irregular—Corn Reflects Some Minor Selling —Oats Are Easy.

SATURDAY'S COMPARATIVE FUTURE QUOTATIONS.
Reported by St. Louis Merchants' Exchange.
ST. LOUIS, Nov. 29.

	Opening.	High.	Low.	Close.	Close Friday.	Close Last Year.
DECEMBER WHEAT.						
St. Louis			86¾	86¾	87¼@¾	91¾
Chicago						
Kansas City			84¼	84¼@¾		
Minneapolis						
Toledo			81¾	81¾@¾	82¼@¾	91¾
MAY WHEAT.						
St. Louis	92@92¼	92¾	91¼	91¼@¾	92@92¼	94¼
Chicago	90¾	91¾	90¼	90¾@¾	90¾	94¼
Kansas City						
Minneapolis						
Toledo						
JULY WHEAT.						
St. Louis	88¼	88¾	87¾	87¾	88¼	89¾
Chicago	88¼	88¾	87¾	87¾	88¼	89¾
Kansas City						
Minneapolis						
Toledo						
DECEMBER CORN.						
St. Louis	70¼	70¾	69¾	70¼	71¼	77¾
Chicago	71@70¾	70¾	69¾	70¼	71¼	77¾
Kansas City	69¾	69¾	68¾	69¼	70¼	76¾
MAY CORN.						
St. Louis	72¼	73¼	71¾	71¾@¾	72@72¼	78¾
Chicago	72¼	73¼	71¾	71¾@¾	72@72¼	78¾
Kansas City	71¾@¾	71¾	70¾	71¼@¾	70¾	77¾
JULY CORN.						
St. Louis	69¾@¾	70¾	69¾	70¼	71¼	77¾
Chicago	69¾@¾	70¾	69¾	70¼	71¼	77¾
Kansas City	69¾	69¾	68¾	69¼	70¼	76¾
DECEMBER OATS.						
St. Louis	39	39¼	38¾	39	39¼	51¾
Chicago	37¼@¾	37¼	36¾	37¼	37¾	51¾
MAY OATS.						
St. Louis	42¼	42¾	42¼	42¾	42¾@43	53¾
Chicago	41¼@¾	41¾	41¼	41¾	42¼	53¾
JULY OATS.						
Chicago	41¼@¾	41¼	41¼	41¼	41¾@42	52¾

The tide ebbed and flowed in the grain market the past week. At one time the prices averaged a fraction above last Saturday's closing and at another a fraction below. Last prices showed an irregular range on the new option.

The bulls endeavored to play crop damage reports from the Argentine as a price maker, but the outside trade refused to follow any advance on this class of gossip, owing to the fact that the damage was reported as a result of the wet weather, which is seldom a serious bull card. Water in 10 cases out of a hundred helps crops. It is drouth and heat that cause big price advances.

Aside from the Argentine advices there was a slightly more bullish tone to the market news. Traders are mostly on the buying side, but think it a little

GIRL IS BITTEN BY DOG

While playing with a pet terrier, Ollie Spies, 3 years of age, 911 South Marsh street, daughter of George and Adeline Spies, was bitten yesterday afternoon on the right wrist. The child was taken to the Vandeventer dispensary where the wound, which was cauterized, was pronounced serious. The dog was placed under observation for rabies.

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MEN: Men need Kellogg's Sanitone Wafers when they're run down and don't know why. Get your nerves revitalized with Kellogg's Sanitone Wafers and constipation will vanish soon—likewise headaches, neuralgia and many other troubles. Don't waste money on body-medicines or doctors when your nerves are all that's wrong; don't travel, take electric treatments or massage. If your nerves are in bad shape, Kellogg's Wafers are your safe, sure remedy. Get a 50-cent box free; know the real joys of living at your age.

WOMEN: Women need Kellogg's Sanitone Wafers when they break down from nervous worry—"get the blues" over nothing and grow weaker and thinner every day. No woman is wholly womanly when her health and nerves go wrong. If you would be at your best—banish backaches, headaches and sleeplessness—get your nerves "right" with Kellogg's Sanitone Wafers, and your life will be all sunshine.

All first-class druggists have Kellogg's Sanitone Wafers in stock, at $1.00 a box, or they will be mailed direct upon receipt of price by F. J. Kellogg, 1988 Hoffmaster Block, Battle Creek, Mich. No free trial boxes from druggists.

A 50-cent trial box of this great discovery will prove that they do the work. They are guaranteed—every wafer. Send coupon below today for free 50c trial box of Kellogg's Sanitone Wafers.

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The regular $1.00 size of Kellogg's Sanitone Wafers are for sale in St. Louis at Johnson Bros.' Drug Co., 501 Franklin av.; Raboteau Drug Co., 700 N. Broadway; Judge & Dolph Drug Co., 515 Olive st. and 7th and Locust sts.; C. W. J. Hahn, 2301 Salisbury st.; Kaltwasser Drug Co., Salena and Pestalozzi sts.; C. F. Remington, 4501 Olive st.

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HOTEL BILL OF $2470 FOR TAFT LEADERS UNPAID

Planters Manager Seeks Money for Republican Committee's Entertainment.

STIFEL CONTRIBUTES $2000

Account Sent by Mistake to Justice Werremeyer, Bull Moose Supporter.

How the Planters Hotel has been compelled to carry for nearly two years a large part of the financial burden of the Taft campaign for Republican delegates in Missouri in 1912 was revealed inadvertently yesterday when a letter demanding payment of a balance of $2470.80 fell into the hands of Justice A. H. Werremeyer of Clayton, Bull Moose leader of St. Louis County.

The letter was addressed, "Judge A. S. Werremeyer, Clayton, Mo." Justice Werremeyer did not discover that the middle initial was not his until he had called several of his friends into conference, and had shown a copy of the bill and accompanying letter to reporters.

Then he remembered that there was an A. S. Werremeyer in St. Louis, connected with the North End Business Men's Association. He thought probably the bill was intended for the other Werremeyer, but the St. Louis member of the family disclaimed responsibility for any part of the debt, and said the letter could not have been meant for him.

Business Men Named.

Inclosed in the letter, which was written by Lyman T. Hay, general manager of the hotel company, was a list of many prominent St. Louis business men who, Hay said, were jointly liable to the hotel for the bill.

The men named are: Dr. Max C. Starkloff, Charles A. Stix, Charles F. Wenneker, former Mayor F. H. Kreismann, C. P. Walbridge, William H. Lee, A. L. Shapleigh, Hanford Crawford, Theodore F. Meyer, Fred Widman, Edwards Whitaker, Otto L. Teichmann, Louis Kaltwasser, Max Kotany, Benjamin Schnurmacher, Fred W. Clemens, E. L. Adreon, Henry Studniczka, Robert C. Day, J. M. Eberling and Dr. Carl Barck.

William M. Walker, manager of the hotel, declined to say yesterday for whom the letter was intended. He said it must have been sent to Justice Werremeyer by mistake, and he thought it should have been sent back to the hotel without the contents being made public.

It was recalled by politicians that Otto F. Stifel, wealthy brewer, who volunteered to manage the Taft campaign in St. Louis, organized a business men's committee and opened two headquarters—one in the Planters Hotel, and the other at the corner of Fourth and Olive streets. E. H. Morse of Excelsior Springs, also a Taft leader, spent much of his time at the Planters Hotel headquarters aiding Stifel in directing the fight for Taft delegates.

Had Suite at Planters.

The committee occupied a suite of five rooms in the Planters Hotel headquarters for several months. Stenographers and district managers were employed, and delegates from the country were entertained. The headquarters was closed after the State convention, held in St. Louis, had passed a resolution indorsing Col. Roosevelt. The Taft managers carried seven of the 16 Missouri districts and got 14 delegates, but all the others went to Col. Roosevelt.

Justice Werremeyer was an active Roosevelt man from the time Col. Roosevelt entered the contest for the Republican presidential nomination. After the Roosevelt bolt at Chicago he lined up with the Progressive party, and was its principal organizer and leader in St. Louis County.

Laundry and Tips Included.

The itemized bill sent to Justice Werremeyer threw much light on the manner in which expenses of a political campaign are piled up. It included everything from waiter's tips to laundry service. Here is the bill:

Rooms	$1,151.00	Laundry	39.50
Cafe	1,208.40	Theater tickets	4.50
Cash	115.00	Telegrams	407.60
Drafts returned	150.25	Long distance telephone	735.40
C. O. D. packages	160.10	Telephones, local	90.50
Railroad tickets	201.45	Balance due, E. L. Morse account, 1911	90.30
Taxicabs	29.00		
Waiters' tips	3.65		
Messenger	1.00		
Tailor	24.85		
Baggage	4.10		
Express	8.80	Total	$4,472.80
Cigars	87.80	Paid by Otto Stifel	2,000.00
Barber	1.75		
Bar	6.10		
Newspapers	.35	Balance	$2,471.80

In the letter accompanying the bill Hay stated that it had been placed in hands of the company's lawyer for collection, but he wished to give the committee one more opportunity to pay it before filing suit.

He called attention to the fact that nearly one-fourth of the amount of the bill represented actual cash paid out by the hotel.

24 POUNDS FOR $1.00

Best Eastern granulated sugar; 12 pounds for 55 cents, 6 pounds for 25 cents, with an equal amount of other goods. Three pounds Cousins' best M. & J. coffee, $1; 2½ pounds Our Success coffee, $1; California pink beans, 2 pounds 15 cents; hand-picked navy beans, 5 cents per pound; bulk cocoa, 25 cents per pound; guaranteed pure; $1 Eagle Stamps with a 10-cent package (4 pounds) crystal salt, 99 per cent pure; headquarters for new suits of all kinds. Geo. Cousins Tea Co., 4 South Broadway, near Market street. Both phones.

Plans Flight Over Andes.

SANTIAGO, Chile, Nov. 29.—Preparations for a flight over a range of the Andes, 20,000 feet high, are being made by Senor Ligueros, the Chilean aviator.

FATHER, AFTER 43 YEARS, TO SEE DAUGHTER AGAIN

Divorce in 1870 Separated Them and a Death in 1913 Brings Them Together.

After a separation of 43 years Minor Howard Williamson, 74 years old, formerly of St. Louis, now of Chicago, and his daughter, Mrs. Belle Scott, 48, of Kansas City, have arranged to meet in this city this week and hold a family reunion with relatives. Each thought the other dead, and the daughter is also rejoicing over the fact that she has found a step-brother, Howard Williamson, a relative she did not know she had.

Williamson and his daughter were separated through a divorce. Through a death in the family they are about to be reunited. Almost half a century ago in St. Louis, Williamson became enstranged from his wife, and she got a divorce, and custody of their daughter, then 5 years old.

Later Mrs. Williamson married George W. Todd. The child was raised in the belief Todd was her father. She was 15 years old before she learned otherwise.

Williamson, in Chicago, married and had a son. Mrs. Todd, the first wife, died. The second Mrs. Williamson also died, and the daughter, Mrs. Scott, went to Kansas City in 1888 with her husband.

Howard Williamson had heard his father speak of his St. Louis relatives, and seeing the name of one of them, Mrs. Eugenie Dorsheimer of 4245 Lindell boulevard, in a death notice, he came to St. Louis recently to attend the funeral. He met Mrs. Lulu D. Wormer and Miss Ella Dorsheimer, his father's nieces, who live at the Lindell boulevard address. They told him of his half-sister, and through friends in Kansas City they found Mrs. Scott. Williamson wrote to her. She came to St. Louis and met him last Sunday in the home of Mrs. E. G. Moses, 5710 Clemens avenue. He then notified his father and the father replied that he would come in a few days. Mrs. Wormer is to be the hostess at the reunion.

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SON MUST ABSTAIN TWO YEARS TO SHARE ESTATE

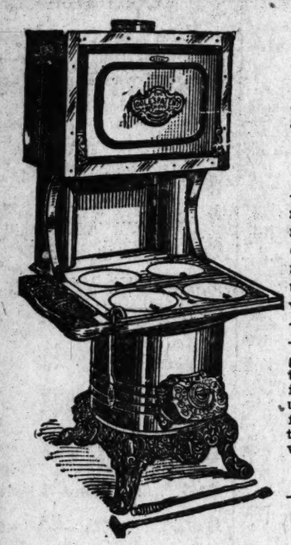
Mrs. Demetria A. May Leaves String on Bequest—Property Valued at $54,681.

An inventory of the estate of Mrs. Demetria A. May, widow of Benjamin May, filed yesterday, shows personal property appraised at $54,681.53. She died recently at her home, 5519 Clemens avenue. In her will she divided her estate among her three daughters and a son, Ben May, the latter of Cheyenne, Wyo., and conditioned the son's bequest on his abstaining from the use of strong drink for a period of two years after her death.

If he fails to do this his share, which is held in trust meantime, goes to his sisters. Another son, Harry May of McAllen, Tex., said to be wealthy, do, received a bequest of $25.

Britisher Collier Is Overdue.

HALIFAX, Nov. 29.—The British collier Invergyle, 18 days out from Cardiff, is overdue and fears were expressed today for her safety. The Invergyle is bringing coal for the British warship New Zealand now in this harbor.



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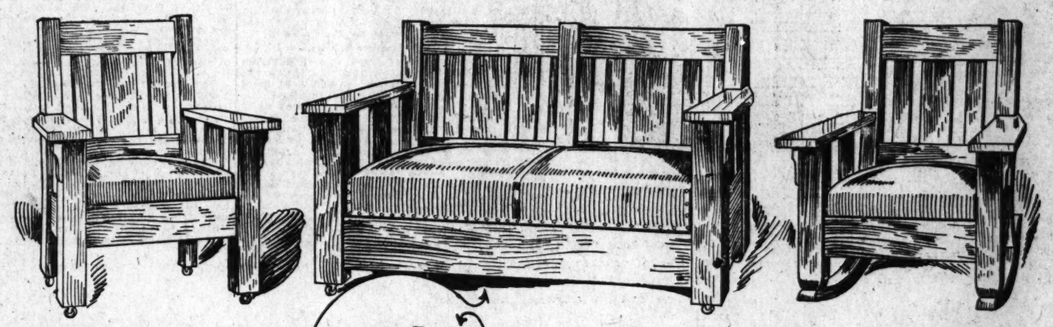
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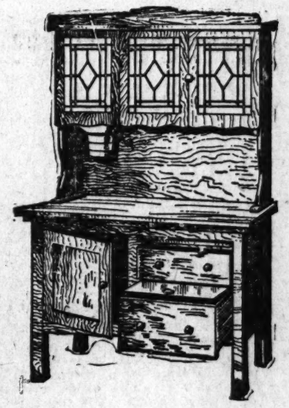
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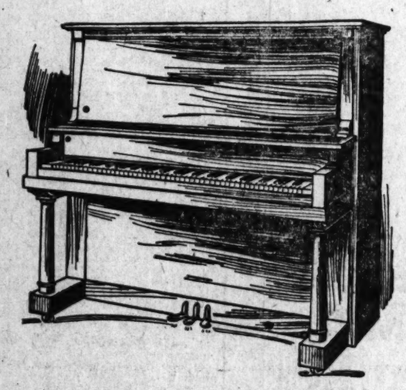
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Amundsen Left a Note for Scott at the Pole

Asked Him to Send Letter to King of Norway

Publication of the Journal and Last Letters of the Leader of the Ill-Fated British Expedition Shows That His Cautious Norwegian Rival, Wishing to Guarantee to Himself the Fame He Had Won, Provided Against the Possibility That His Own Party Might Be Lost by Leaving a Communication to His Ruler That Would Prove His Priority.

CLOSE to the Pole a Norwegian tent was found and in it a note from Amundsen which I keep asks me to forward a letter to King Haakon.

THIS excerpt from Capt. Robert Falcon Scott's journal and last letters just published in this country by Dodd, Mead & Co., of New York, in two volumes entitled "Capt. Scott's last Expedition," reveals for the first time that Roald Amundsen, the Norwegian explorer, who had beaten his English rival to the South Pole, had charged the defeated man with the humiliating mission of transmitting to the ruler of Norway indisputable evidence that a party of his subjects had reached the goal ahead of all others.

As it turned out, this seems a ghastly jest, but it certainly was not meant to be so by Amundsen. It was the curious Norwegian's way of protecting his own right to the place in history that would belong to the man who should be the first at the South Pole and the deposit of the letter in the tent was made with the full understanding that he and his little party might never be heard of again. If this should be their fate, and Capt. Scott should reach the pole, as then seemed certain, he knew that his honorable rival would forward the inclosed letter to King Haakon and that his fame would thus secure whatever might happen to his body.

And the letter was among the documents found on Scott's body, months after Amundsen had returned safely to civilization. In time, it was duly forwarded to King Haakon. It contained a simple announcement that Amundsen had reached the pole Dec. 13, 1911, a record of the observations and statement of the personnel of the Norwegian party.

The story of Capt. Scott's last expedition is an epic worthy of the Anglo-Saxon race. Coincident with the publication of the journals in London a month ago, the Post-Dispatch presented a readable a brief review of this monumental work; now, with the American publication by Dodd, Mead & Co., a more elaborate survey of it is possible. The man who lives and moves and whose inmost thoughts are revealed to us in these pages was animated by one passionate desire that shines forth clearly from those last letters, with which there is nothing in all literature to compare, written when he knew that all hope must be abandoned. It was "to set a good example to our countrymen;" to show that the spirit of the English had not decayed, but that they could "endure hardships, help one another and face death with as great a fortitude as ever in the past."

Chance, which betrayed him, served his gallant rival, though this is not to belittle Amundsen's noble achievements.

Implacable Fortune.

"THINGS have come out against us," wrote Scott in his last message to the public. How necessary was the hostility of fortune the journal shows in almost every page. In the preliminary journeys and the getting out of the depots extraordinarily favorable conditions of weather and surface were encountered. During a fearful blizzard, the journal records on Feb. 7, 1911: "One began to feel that fortune was altogether too hard for us."

Then, on Feb. 12, came the stunning news that a rival was in the field, precipitating a swift dash on the Pole. The journal proceeds:

"Every incident of the day pales before the startling contents of the mail bag. * * * the finding of Amundsen established in the Bay of Whales. * * *

"There is no doubt that Amundsen's plan is a very serious menace to ours. He has a shorter distance to the Pole by 60 miles—I never thought he could have got so many dogs safely to the ice. His plan for running them seems excellent. But above and beyond all he can start his journey early in the season—an impossible condition with ponies.

"Nov. 1, 1911, he marched out on the great enterprise, and at once encountered 'simply horrible conditions.' Winds blew almost continuously and the surface was of the worst, so that instead of having firm footing, we sank into soft, deep, and uneven snow. After a month of such experiences he says: 'A hopeless feeling descends on one and it is hard to fight off.'"

The Worst Has Happened."

As they drew near the goal they were anxiously debated "the appalling possibility—the sight of the Norwegian flag forstalling ours." On Jan. 16 they knew that they had been beaten:

The worst has happened, or nearly the worst (notes the journal) * * * About the second hour of the march Bowers' sharp eyes detected what he thought was a cairn; he was uneasy about it, but argued that it must be a sastrugus (undulation in the snow). Half an hour later he detected a black speck ahead. Soon we knew that this could not be a natural snow feature. We marched on, found that it was a black flag tied to a sledge bearer; near by the remains of a camp. * * * This told us the whole story. The Norwegians have forestalled us and were first at the Pole.

It was a terrible disappointment, and I am very sorry for my loyal companions. * * * To-morrow we must march on to the Pole and then hasten home with all the speed we can compass. All the day-dreams must go; it will be a wearisome return.

The shock was the more terrible because Capt. Scott had mortgaged his own small fortune to meet the cost of the expedition, and his one hope of making good that outlay and providing for his child lay in the future sale of the book in which he was to have described his conquest of the Pole. That night, he notes, on Jan. 17, "none of the party slept much after the shock of the discovery;" and the Journal proceeds:

The Pole. Yes, but under very different circumstances from those expected. We have had a horrible day * * * with a temperature minus 22 degrees, and companions laboring on with cold feet and hands. * * * Great God! this is an awful place, and terrible enough for us to have labored to it without the reward of priority. Well, it is something to have got here. * * * Now for the run home and a desperate struggle. I WONDER IF WE CAN DO IT?

This was the first suggestion that he doubted the capacity of his party to retreat, heart-broken, over those 850 weary miles of ice and snow.

"Our Poor Union Jack."

OVER the tent, pitched two miles from the Pole, floated the Norwegian flag. Scott and his comrades located the Pole with pains then, as he writes:

We built a cairn, put up our poor, slighted Union Jack, and photographed ourselves—mighty cold work, all of it.

And then follows the sad note as the Englishmen set their faces north:

Well, we have turned our back now on the goal of our ambition and must face over 800 miles of solid dragging—AND GOOD-BY TO MOST OF THE DAY-DREAMS.

This was on Jan. 18.—In a few days Oates and Evans began to suffer internally from frostbites. Then Wilson and Bowers showed signs of failing. Behind them could be heard the stealthy footfall of death drawing nearer with each march through the wastes of snow. Then Evans died, "but calm reflection shows there could not have been a better ending." The party pushed on. Then another misfortune came.

At the South Barrier Depot they found a shortage of oil, on which they depended for warmth. There has been much discussion of this failure, wherefore it may be pointed out that no foresight could have guarded against it. A note to the Journal states:

The oil was specially volatile and in the warmth of the sun (for the tins were regularly set in an accessible place on the top of the cairns) tended to become vapor and escape through the stoppers, even without damage to the tins.

This process was much accelerated by reason that the leather washers about the stoppers had perished in the great cold.

"Cold, Cold, Very Cold."

"COLD, very cold," "very cold nights now and cold feet starting march," "fuel woefully short," are pathetic entries which appear in the Journal. At the next depot the situation became even more critical.

On March 2, the surface "grew awful beyond words." Then came this entry: "God help us! We can't keep up this pulling, that is certain. Among ourselves, we are unendingly cheerful, but what each man feels in his heart I can only guess."

Finally the brave and gallant Oates walked away to his death in a storm to avoid encumbering his companions. Where and how he died never will be known. Then came the dramatic incident of Scott's ordering Wilson to apportion among each surviving member of the party opium tablets in sufficient quantities to cause death. THEY HAD DECIDED TO DIE BY THEIR OWN HANDS RATHER THAN WAIT FOR THE AWFUL DEATH BY STARVATION AND COLD. On March 19, 1912, they reached a point only 11 miles from One Ton Camp, where there were large stores of provisions and fuel. Here the final agony in the tent began. On March 22 and 23 is this heartbreaking entry, showing they had abandoned the suicide plan and meet death like brave men.

Blizzard bad as ever—Wilson and Bowers unable to start—to-morrow last chance—no fuel and only one or two of food left—must be near the end. HAVE DECIDED IT SHALL BE NATURAL—we shall march for the depot with or without our effects and die in our tracks.

On the twenty-ninth is the last entry of all in the Journal, written in a hand still firm:

Since the twenty-first we have had a continuous gale. * * * We had fuel to make two cups of tea apiece and bare food for two days on the twentieth. Every day we have been ready to start for our depot, 11 miles away, but outside the door of the tent it remains a scene of whirling drift. I do not think we can hope for any better things now. We shall stick it out to the end, but we are getting weaker, of course, and the end cannot be far.

It seems a pity, but I do not think I can write more.

For God's sake look after our people.

Busy Till Death Came.

THE last 10 days of anguish fill a space of little more than a page in the Journal. Yet Scott in those supreme hours was busy with his pencil. To Mrs. Wilson, Dr. Wilson's widow, he wrote words of consolation:

If this letter reaches you, Bill and I will have gone out together. We are very near it now, and I should like you to know how splendid he was at the end. * * * I can do no more to comfort you than to tell you that he died as he lived—a brave, true man, the best of comrades and stanchest of friends.

My whole heart goes out to you in pity.

To Mrs. Bowers, the mother of the dear and brave "Birdie" Bowers, he wrote:

We are very near the end of our journey, and I am finishing it in company with two gallant, noble gentlemen. One of them is your son. * * *

To the end he has talked of you and his sisters. One sees what a happy home he must have had.

Pathetic Adieu to Barrie.

BUT in its tenderness and simplicity and the poignancy of its last appeal, his letter to the famous novelist and dramatist, Sir J. M. Barrie, is of all those touching messages that which will most deeply move the heart:

We are pegging out in a very comfortless spot. Hoping this letter may be found and sent to you, I will write a word of farewell. * * * More practically, I want you to help my widow and my boy, your godson. We are showing that Englishmen can still die with a good spirit, fighting it out to the end. It will be known that we have accomplished our object in reaching the Pole, and that we have done everything possible, even to sacrificing ourselves in order to save sick companions. I think this makes an example for Englishmen of the future and that the country ought to help those who are left behind to mourn us.

Good-by. I am not at all afraid of the end. * * *

As a dying man, my dear friend, be good to my wife and child. Give the boy a chance in life, if the State won't do it. He ought to have good stuff in him. * * *

"The Women We Leave."

TO Sir Edgar Speyer he wrote: "We shall die like gentlemen. I regret only for the women we leave behind."

To Admiral Bridgeman he wrote:

"I want to tell you that I was not too old for this job. It was the younger men that went under first. * * * After all, we are setting a good example to our countrymen, if not by getting into a tight place, by facing it like men when we were there. We could have come through had we neglected the sick."

From his last letters to his wife and family there are a few touching extracts:

I die at peace with the world and myself—not afraid.

After all, we have given our lives for our country.

I shall not have suffered any pain, but leave the world fresh from harness and full of good health and vigor.

One remembers Renan's prayer to die in full possession of his personality, and his deep thought that "the only acceptable death is the noble death which is not a pathological accident, but an end, deliberately accepted and, therefore, precious before the Eternal. Death on the field of battle is thus the noblest of all."

How the Three Men Died.

THEY found him eight months later. Wilson and Bowers lay in the tent "in the attitude of sleep, their sleeping bags closed over their heads as they would naturally close them." Scott had died the last. He had thrown back the flaps of his sleeping bag and opened his coat. The little wallet containing the three note books was under his shoulders, and his arm flung across Wilson.

They left them, like Vikings on the scene of their glory and their doom, and built about the tent a mighty cairn. There, alone in their greatness, they will lie without change or body decay with the most fitting tomb in the world above them.

Such is this story of suffering, one which will never grow old in the telling because it is among the greatest in the world, heroic in its beauty, inspiring in its example to the race, suggesting the profoundest and the saddest thoughts—a story of "agonies, and love and man's unconquerable mind."



THIS photograph, full of poignant tragedy, was the last ever made of Capt. Scott. It shows him as the party turned northward from the pole for the 800-mile journey back to headquarters. Capt. Scott was peering across the blinding wastes of snow and asking the momentous question, "Can we ever do it?"

He never would have asked that if the Norwegian had not beaten him to the pole. But the stunning defeat that he had just met as he reached the goal of his life's ambition had depressed him until he had lost confidence that the conditions demanded. It was the beginning of the end, a striking exemplification that the sense of being beaten was the real cause of the ultimate collapse of Scott's party.

CHURCH NOTICES.

ETHICAL SOCIETY—Sheldon Memorial, 3648 Washington boulevard, 11 a. m., Mr. Horace J. Bridges of Chicago, Winston Churchill's "The Inside of the Cup." The public cordially invited.

ST. MARK'S ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH, Bell and Cardinal avenues. Rev. M. Rhodes, D. D., pastor. 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a. m., worship, subject, "The Loyalty of the Early Christian;" 8 p. m., annual thank offering of the Woman's Missionary Societies; special program; Rev. and Mrs. Strother, missionaries from China, will take part with stereopticon lecture. All welcome.

ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Lindell boulevard and Spring avenue, Rev. Z. B. Phillips, rector. Holy communion, 7:45 a. m.; Sunday school, 9:3) a. m.; morning prayer and sermon by the rector, 11 a. m.; evensong and sermon by the rector, 4:30 p. m.

THE CHURCH OF DIVINE INSPIRATION. Services every Sunday, Henneman Hall, 3723 Olive street. Lecture, subject, "That Which Lives on Forever in Man," 3 p. m.; lecture subject, "For Thine Is the Power and Glory," 8 p. m. Rev. Rufus A. Macurda, pastor; Mrs. Nellie B. Becktold, assistant pastor.

UNION METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Garrison and Lucas avenues —Grant A. Robbins, pastor, will speak at 8 p. m. on "A Square Deal for the Laboring Man." At the morning service Miss Sui Wang of Northwestern University will deliver an address on "China's Crisis." Miss Wang is a remarkable Chinese young woman and a most captivating speaker. She speaks in the afternoon at 4:30 at the Y. W. C. A.

MASS MEETING. Protestant Churches of St. Louis, for fellowship and service, Thursday, Dec. 4, 1913, at 8 p. m., Third Baptist Church, Grand and Washington avenues. The Rev. W. J. Williamson, D. D., president of the Church Federation of St. Louis, will preside. Addresses by the Rev. S. J. Niccolls, D. D., the Rev. S. H. Woodrow, D. D. German song and choral by 75 students of Eden Theological Seminary.

MEN! Have you ever said, "The reason you do not go to church any more is because of someone you knew there who was a hypocrite?" If so, why don't you quit business, too? You'll find many, many more hypocrites in business. Come to the Men's Bible Class any Sunday at 9:45 a. m., Washington and Compton Avenue Church. Rev. Harris H. Gregg teaches this class. Here you will learn how not to be a hypocrite and to help others.

Presbyterian Brotherhood Mass Meeting.

Note the date and place: Monday evening, Dec. 8, First Presbyterian Church. Address by Rev. John Timothy Stone, D. D., of Chicago, moderator of the recent General Assembly. Musical recital precedes and informal public reception follows the address. The meeting is open to the general public. Ladies especially invited.

TEMPLE ISRAEL,

King's highway and Washington boulevard. Sunday morning service at 10:30. Dr. Arthur E. Bostwick, Public Librarian, will speak. Subject, "The Art of Re-Reading." All interested are cordially invited.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Subject of lesson sermon at each church, "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, Alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced." Golden text, Proverbs 24, 19, 20.

First Church, King's highway and Westminster place, 10:45 a. m., 8 p. m.

Reading room, 4626 Delmar boulevard. Open daily from 9 a. m. to 9:30 p. m. Sunday afternoon, 2 to 5.

Second Church, 4234 Washington boulevard, 10:45 a. m.

Third Church, 3524 Russell avenue, 10:45 a. m.

Fourth Church, 5569 Page boulevard, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Downtown Reading Room, suite 1003 Railway Exchange Building. Open daily, except Sunday and legal holidays. All are welcome.

Wednesday evening testimony meetings at each church at 8 o'clock. (cf)

SPIRITUALISM.

TEMPLE, 4151 Delmar, 8 p. m., lecture by Mr. John Felgate; messages by Mrs. Torlotting.

SPIRITUALISM. Home daily, Mrs. Johnson, 3717½ Garfield; test meeting Tuesday, 2 p. m.; Thursday, 8 p. m.

SPIRITUALISM. Meeting every Sunday afternoon, 2:30, Benton Hall, Fourteenth and Benton. Mrs. J. Boettcher.

SPIRITUALISM. Services Sunday and Friday afternoons, also Monday evening, 4451 North Market. Bertha Sipmann, pastor.

CHURCH OF PROGRESSIVE SPIRITUALISTS. Services every Sunday, 3 p. m., Blumer's Hall, Thirteenth and Benton. Miss Clara Riedell, medium.

SPIRITUALISM. Rev. Marie La Barre, spiritual services, Sunday, 8 p. m., Tuesday, 2 to 4 p. m., and Friday, 8 p. m. 2008 East Grand avenue.

SPIRITUALISM. Test meeting Wednesday, 2:30 p. m., and Friday, 7:30 p. m.; reading daily. Medium Daniels, 4611A Easton.

SPIRITUALISM. Miss Wilson's last call for students. The divine natural law taught and understood, will prove lessons this week only; Sunday and Tuesday night only, 7:30. 4124 Morgan.

NEW THOUGHT SPIRITUALIST SOCIETY meets 8 p. m., 3431 Franklin. Address and messages by Mrs. Assmann, medium. Public message circle Tuesday, 2:30 p. m. and Thursday evening.

SPIRITUALISM. First Missouri Fraternal Spiritualists hold services at Stumpf's Hall, 3907 West Belle, on Sunday, 2:30; evening, 8 o'clock. Conference and messages. Mediums, Mrs. Johnson, Hunter, Hubbard, Manly and Davis Johnson. Good music.

SPIRITUALISM. Strassberger's Conservatory, 2300 South Grand. Church's sixth anniversary celebration, 8 p. m.; special music. Mrs. Vierling, Dr. Green, Mr. Stolz, Mrs. Anderson, Prof. Whittlesey, Dr. Vierling. Seats free; all welcome.

CHURCH OF SPIRITUAL UNITY hold their meeting this afternoon at Rieas' Hall, Blair and Salisbury, at 3 o'clock. Every Thursday evening meeting held at Mrs. Gerhold's home, 3000 Kossuth avenue, at 8 o'clock. Flower consecration today. All welcome. (c)

DEATHS.

Death notices, first 8 lines or less, $1; each extra line 15c; memoriams, etc., 10c per line.

ASBECK—Entered into rest Thursday, Nov. 27, 1913, at 11:10 a. m., Marie Asbeck (nee Keuhen), wife of the late Julius Asbeck, and mother of Mrs. Hattie Keimel (nee Asbeck) and Arthur Asbeck, and sister of Mrs. Anna Sohl, and grandmother of Arthur Keimel, at the age of 64 years.

Funeral will take place from residence of her sister, Mrs. Anna Sohl, 2003 Mallinckrodt street, on Monday, Dec. 1, at 1:30 p. m., thence to St. Matthew's Cemetery. (cf)

DEATHS.

BAESSLER—Entered into rest Friday, Nov. 28, 1913, at 11:45 p. m., Christina Baessler (nee Duce), dearly beloved wife of George Baessler, and dear mother of John, William, Fred and Matilda Bertmann (nee Baessler), and our dear grandmother, at the age of 69 years.

Funeral Tuesday, Dec. 2, at 1 p. m., from residence, 3942 North Twenty-fifth street, to Concordia Cemetery. Remains can be seen at Eberle & Keyes' undertaking parlors, 1108 St. Ange avenue, until Monday noon. Friends invited. (c1)

BARRON—Entered into rest, suddenly, on Friday, Nov. 28, 1913, at 10 p. m., Joseph L. Barron, beloved son of Theresa Barron (nee Berry) and the late James C. Barron, brother of William, Louis, Frank and Theresa Barron.

Funeral will take place from the family residence, 5246A Paulian place, on Monday, Dec. 1, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Mark's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited. Deceased was a member of De Andries Council No. 800, K. of C. (c)

BIERSTADT—Entered into rest Saturday, Nov. 29, 1913, at 3 a. m., Elizabeth Bierstadt (nee Mungenast), relict of William H. Bierstadt, dear mother of Officer William F. and Irene Bierstadt, and our dear mother-in-law and grandmother, at the age of 71 years.

Funeral from family residence, 4100 South Broadway, on Monday, Dec. 1, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Thomas of Aquin's Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. (c)

CARBERRY—Entered into rest on Friday, Nov. 28, 1913, at 5 p. m., Joseph Carberry, dear father of Edward and Mark Carberry.

Funeral from Hickey & Stephens' parlors, on Monday, Dec. 1, at 2 p. m., to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited. (c)

CLARK—Entered into rest at Seattle, Wash., on Friday, Nov. 21, 1913, Rollin Clark of Keokuk and St. Louis. Peace to his memory.

COGHLAN—Entered into rest on Friday, Nov. 28, 1913, at 5 p. m., Winifred Coghlan (nee O'Hara), beloved wife of William J. Coghlan, mother of William, Vincent and Thomas Coghlan.

Funeral will take place from the family residence, 8285 Lalite avenue, on Monday, Dec. 1, at 8:30 a. m., to Church of the Nativity, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (c)

CROWE—Entered into rest on Saturday, Nov. 29, 1913, at 6:30 a. m., James Crowe, beloved son of James V. and Lillie Crowe (nee Morrissey), dear brother of Marie and Catherine Crowe, aged 1 year and 29 days.

Funeral will take place from the family residence, 2811A Easton avenue, on Monday, Dec. 1, at 2 p. m., to Calvary Cemetery. (c)

DEVOTO—Entered into rest on Thursday, Nov. 27, 1913, at 11:35 p. m., Marina Devoto, beloved wife of Charles Devoto, and mother of Louis, Lide, Charles and George Devoto, and sister of Amalia Arado, at the age of 47 years.

Funeral will take place Monday, Dec. 1, at 9:30 a. m., from family residence, 4958 Botanical avenue, to St. Charles Borromeo's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (cf)

DRAWE—Entered into rest on Saturday, Nov. 29, 1913, Frederick Drawe, beloved husband of Agnes Drawe, and dear father of Agnes Froning (nee Drawe) and Henry J. Drawe, father-in-law of A. Froning and Julia M. Drawe (nee Mooney), at the age of 75 years.

Funeral will take place from residence, 4164 Ashland avenue, Monday, Dec. 1, at 2 p. m. Interment at St. Peter's Cemetery.

FIEBER—Entered into rest, suddenly, on Friday, Nov. 28, 1913, at 6 p. m., Aug. F. Fieber, beloved son of Mrs. Helen Fieber, grandson of Mrs. E. Maurer, and our dear brother and uncle, aged 40 years.

Funeral Monday, Dec. 1, at 1:30 p. m., from family residence, 1819 South Jefferson avenue. Friends and relatives invited. (c)

FITZGERALD—Entered into rest on Friday, Nov. 28, 1913, Sarah Fitzgerald (nee Deegan), beloved wife of John Fitzgerald, beloved mother of William Fitzgerald, and sister of William and James Deegan, and our dear aunt.

Funeral from family residence, 1517 South Compton avenue, Monday, Dec. 1, at 7:30 a. m., to Immaculate Conception Church. Interment in Calvary Cemetery. Friends and relatives invited to attend. (cf)

FROMME—Entered into rest on Saturday, Nov. 29, 1913, at 3:30 p. m., Margaret Fromme (nee O'Connor), beloved wife of Charles Fromme, and mother of Chas Fromme Jr., dear sister of Mrs. Taylor Campbell (nee O'Connor) and Mrs. Arthur Burnstein (nee O'Connor).

Funeral Tuesday, Dec. 2, at 8 a. m., from Cullen & Kelly's funeral chapel, 1416 North Taylor avenue, to Church of the Nativity, Walnut Park, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Royal Neighbors of America. (c1)

GUNN—On Friday, Nov. 28, 1913, Lulu Strohmberg Gunn, beloved wife of John M. Gunn, and darling mother of Donald Gunn, and youngest daughter of John and Margaret Strohmberg, and our dear sister, in her twenty-seventh year.

Funeral Monday, Dec. 1, at 8:30 a. m., from residence, 1613 Ohio avenue, to Church of the Immaculate Conception. Interment at Calvary Cemetery. Chicago (Ill.) papers please copy. (c7)

HACK—Entered into rest Saturday, Nov. 29, 1913, at 3:45 a. m., George W. Hack, beloved husband of the late Anna Hack (nee Heine), dear father of Minnie, Edward and Lulu Hack, aged 55 years.

Funeral from residence, 4429A North Twenty-first street, Monday, Dec. 1, at 2 p. m. Deceased was a member of Brewers and Malsters' Union, Local No. 6. Interment private. (c)

HUBERT—Entered into rest on Friday, Nov. 28, 1913, at 11 p. m., Mrs. Theresa Hubert (nee Woelfel), dear mother of Mrs. Mary Teipel (nee Hubert), after a lingering illness, aged 77 years 11 months and 28 days.

The funeral will take place Monday, Dec. 1, at 8:30 a. m., from funeral rooms of Aug. Brockland L. & F. Co., 1817 Hogan street, to St. Liborius' Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (c)

HUGHES—On Saturday, Nov. 29, 1913, at 12:35 a. m., Edward Hughes, beloved son of John and Mary Hughes (nee Nolan), dear brother of John and Mary Hughes and Mrs. William Zimmermann (nee Hughes).

Funeral Monday, Dec. 1, at 8:30 a. m., from family residence, 5571 Greer avenue, to St. Edward's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend. (c)

KAMER—Entered into rest after a short illness, on Thursday, Nov. 27, 1913, at 7 p. m., Joseph Kamer, beloved son of Dominick and Helen Kamer, dear brother of Mary Feldman (nee Kamer), Josephine Casagrande (nee Kamer), Anna Biarman (nee Kamer), Lena Dietrich (nee Kamer) and Charles Kamer, and our dear nephew, at the age of 13 years and 4 months.

Funeral on Monday, Dec. 1, at 2 p. m., from residence, 3445 Illinois avenue, to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Funeral private. (c)

DEATHS.

JOHANNING—Entered into rest on Saturday, Nov. 29, 1913, John H. Johanning, beloved husband of Josephine F. Johanning (nee Beimes), and dear father of Alfred W., Selma M., Edward H. and Louis J. Johanning, aged 76 years.

Funeral from family residence, 1427 Missouri avenue, Monday, Dec. 1, at 2 p. m. Motor. (c)

KOHR—Entered into rest Saturday, Nov. 29, 1913, at 3 p. m., after a lingering illness, Adam Kohr, beloved husband of Lizzie Kohr (nee Sudhoff), dear father of Mrs. John Crooks, Emil Kohr, Mrs. Wiedersatch, Mrs. Nunez, Flora and Robert Kohr, our dear father, father-in-law and stepfather.

KURTEN—Entered into rest on Friday, Nov. 28, 1913, at 12:15 a. m., after a lingering illness, Joseph Kurten, beloved husband of Emma Kurten (nee Worman), and dear father of Frances and Helen Kurten, at the age of 67 years 5 months and 13 days.

Funeral on Monday, Dec. 1, at 3 p. m., from family residence, 5631 Utah street, to St. Pius' Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

Duquoin (Ill.) and Effingham (Ill.) papers please copy. (cf)

LAYAT—Entered into rest on Nov. 5, 1913, at Lisbon, Portugal, Joseph M. Layat, beloved husband of A. Layat, and dear father of Alice Layat Bozella, aged 68 years.

Remains will be taken by widow to Marseilles, France, to be buried in family vault. Was a member of Blair Post, G. A. R.

NUNES—At Los Angeles, Cal., Saturday, Oct. 11, 1913, Christ De Susa Nunes.

Funeral Monday, Dec. 1, at 2 p. m., from Cullen & Kelly's funeral parlors, 2735 Cass avenue, to St. Peter's Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend. (c)

O'CONNELL—Entered into rest on Friday, Nov. 28, 1913, at 8 p. m., at the age of 31 years 11 months and 10 days, Maurice O'Connell Jr., beloved husband of Ida O'Connell, and dear son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice O'Connell (nee Dillon), and brother of Joseph, John and Katherine O'Connell and Nona Baldwin.

Funeral from the home of his parents, 1736 Ohio avenue, East St. Louis, Monday, Dec. 1, at 9 a. m., to St. Patrick's Church, thence to Mount Carmel Cemetery. Friends and relatives invited to attend.

Louisville (Ky.) papers please copy.

O'DONNELL—On Friday, Nov. 28, 1913, at 5 a. m., Henry C. O'Donnell, beloved husband of Mary O'Donnell (nee Lynch), dear father of William E., Harry C., James H., Matthew J., Clarence D., Marie and Stella O'Donnell.

Funeral will take place Monday, Dec. 1, at 8:30 a. m., from residence, 5109 Spalding avenue, to Church of the Blessed Sacrament, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

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ROTH—Entered into rest on Friday, Nov. 28, 1913, at 1:45 a. m., after a lingering illness, William Roth, beloved husband of Katy Roth (nee Hart), dear father of Charles and Marie Roth, dear son of Mary Roth (nee Wigman), dear brother of John Roth and Mamie E. Vola (nee Roth), and our dear brother-in-law, aged 39 years.

Funeral will take place Monday, Dec. 1, at 2 p. m., from the residence, 4200 Tapin street, to St. Cronan's Church, thence to St. Peter's Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

Chicago (Ill.) and Oklahoma papers please copy. (c)

SAYERS—On Thursday, Nov. 27, 1913, Mrs. Gladys Sayers, beloved wife of George N. Sayers.

Funeral Sunday, Nov. 30, at 2 p. m., from the residence of her mother, 5076 Kensington avenue. Interment in Bellefontaine Cemetery.

SCHLAG—Entered into rest, after a lingering illness, on Saturday, Nov. 29, 1913, at 8:20 p. m., Pauline Schlag (nee Hoffmann), beloved wife of Fred C. Schlag, dear mother of Lena Buth (nee Schlag), dear daughter of Augusta Hoffmann, grandmother of Frederick and Clarence Buth, mother-in-law of Henry Buth, sister of Lena Adolphs (nee Hoffmann), Charles and Albert Hoffmann, at the age of 56 years.

Funeral Monday, Dec. 1, at 2 p. m., from residence, 2807 Wyoming street, to Bellefontaine Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend. (c)

SCHUCK—On Friday, Nov. 28, 1913, at 5:30 a. m., Philip J. Schuck Sr., beloved husband of Marie Schuck (nee Sattel), and father of Peter Schuck, Philipina Wurtenbaecher (nee Schuck), Jacob, Albert and Philip Schuck, Bertha Wuertenbaecher (nee Schuck, and father-in-law of Dora Schuck, at the age of 70 years.

Funeral from residence, 3640 South Grand avenue, Monday, Dec. 1, at 1:30 p. m., to SS. Peter and Paul's Cem

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In Memoriam.

In loving remembrance of my beloved son and our dear brother, George A. Pfarrer, who departed so suddenly one year ago, Dec. 1, 1913.

Sad and sorrowful was the call
And grievous was the blow
That took my dear son beloved by all;
I little thought that on that day
My dear son would be called away.

No one knows how much we miss you
For you were so good, so kind and true;
It's hard to bear that you are missing,
We sigh, we weep, we pray for you
Although you are gone you are not forgotten.
Neither shall your memory fade;
Loving hearts will often linger
Around the grave where you are laid.

Sadly missed by his
MOTHER, SISTERS AND BROTHERS

In Memoriam.

In memory of our dear beloved son and brother, Edward Kirtman, who departed this life Nov. 30, 1913.

Sad and sudden was the call
For our Edward, loved by all;
We little thought that on that day
Our Edward would be called away.
We could not realize what was said
When the message came that he was dead;
But God, he loved him best,
Has taken him home to rest.
BEREAVED FATHER, BROTHERS AND SISTERS.

In Memoriam.

In loving remembrance of my dear husband and father, Henry William Feldman, who departed this life one year ago, Nov. 19, 1912.

Silently the shades of evening gather
Around my lonely door;
Silently they bring to me
That dear face I see no more.

Rest in peace, your cares are ended,
Rest in peace, your work is done;
You are gone and those who loved you
Now are coming, one by one.

Sadly missed by
ELIZABETH FELDMAN, WIFE AND SONS.

In Memoriam.

In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Thomas Eagle, who departed this life Dec. 4, 1912.

In the graveyard sleeping,
Where the flowers gently wave,
Lies the one we loved so dearly
In his lonely, silent grave.

You will never be forgotten,
Never memory fade,
Loving thoughts will always linger
Round the grave where you are laid.

Sadly missed by
MOTHER, FATHER AND BROTHER.
(c)

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STOCKHOLDERS MEETINGS

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association for the election of directors to serve during the year, and for such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, northeast corner of 9th and Lafayette sts., St. Louis, Mo., on Tuesday, Dec. 9, 1913, at 9 o'clock a. m.

AUGUST A. BUSCH,
Vice-President and Acting President.
ROBERT HOLM, Secretary.

PUBLIC SALE

PUBLIC SALE—The entire stock and fixtures of the Variety Store of B. H. Hadley of Woodriver, Ill., formerly owned by Dickinson Bros., consisting of one $1000 soda fountain, one $500 ice cream cabinet, one six Andrews wire ice cream tables, mahogany finish, and 50 Andrews wire chairs, 5 show cases, wall cases, counter, patent medicines, unlicensed drugs, sheeting, mahogany finish, and 50 Andrews desk, and many other articles too numerous to mention. Under foreclosure by chattel mortgage by M. Dickinson & Co. Sale by order of W. F. Boynton, Attorney; also judgment by Alton Baking & Catering Co., J. T. Ashlock, Alton Baking Co. Day of sale Monday, Dec. 1, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m. on premises. (c)

PARCEL—Lost, containing a waist, on Grand car, 3826 and Humphrey. Phone Victor 2040X.

PIGEONS—Lost, Nov. 17, pair of black dragoon pigeons; reward, $10. Alabama.

PIN—Lost, fraternity pin, engraved with initials A. F. Reward; valued as keepsake; reward, return to lost and found desk.

UMBRELLA—Lost; gold handle; 3 initials; between Jefferson and Grand; reward. (c)

UMBRELLA—Lost, blue silk, china handle, inlaid with silver, at New Grand Central, Saturday afternoon; reward, $5. Lacy, 2121 Locust.

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FOUND

COAT—Found, at Colleaum, Sunday night, lady's coat; call at Father Spigardi's, 2913 Lawton.

Lost and Found

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LOST

AIGRETTES—Lost, bunch of white, Tuesday morning somewhere between 5788 Berlin and Wright Bldg., or on University Olive car; return and receive reward. Mrs. Childs, 5788 Berlin. (c)

BAR PIN—Lost, diamond, between Columbia Theater and Paul's restaurant. Friday night; reward. 5260 Westminster.

BAR PIN—Lost, Nov. 22; gold; engraved Eugene; reward. 5001 Easton av. Delmar 1294.

BEADS—Lost, string of pearl beads, Saturday evening; return to 4011 West Pine; reward.

BREASTPIN—Lost; set with one ruby and two diamonds, Thursday morning, either in Holy Family church, on Oak Hill or Wyoming car; prized as an heirloom; reward if returned to 3900 Wyoming st.

BULLDOG—Lost, English brindle, city license No. 13,996. Forest 2993R. 3240 Maple.

BULL TERRIER—Lost, white, brass-studded harness; long tail and ears; Natural Bridge and Taylor. Call Sunday morning, 4455 Ashland av., or phone Colfax 640.

BUNDLE—Lost, Wednesday, on Cherokee car, containing union suits; reward if returned to 3306 Michigan av.

COLLAR—Lost, brown fur collar, Tuesday evening, at Garrison and University; liberal reward. 2943 University. Central 8255.

CUFF BUTTON—Lost; initial H. W.; reward for return. 5912A North Market. (c)

CUFF BUTTON—Lost, top of cuff button. Return to 4500 Maryland av.

DOG—Lost, collie, sable and white, 1912 license 16,716; Delmar 3600R; reward. (c1)

DOG—Lost, black and tan. Please return to Mr. Keecht, 1002A Allen av.; reward. (c)

DOG—Lost, white bulldog, name Buster, scar on right shoulder; reward, 1121 S. 12th.

DOG—Lost, white bull terrier; with brown ear, scars on face; reward. 5054 Washington.

DOG—Lost, brown brindle Boston bull terrier, name Roy Nobel, on collar, license 2806; reward. 3837 Texas.

DOG—Lost, white male English setter with lemon spots; last year license; reward. 6138 Gambleton pl.; Delmar 3412X. (7)

DOG—Lost, fox terrier, black and white; strayed Saturday after being hurt; license No. 5232; answers name of "Foxey"; return or notify 5190 Kensington; reward.

DOG—Lost, red brindle Boston bull terrier; white neck, chest and front feet; reward if returned. Joe Losh, 2557 Natalie av., East St. Louis. (c)

DOG—Lost, near Finney and Taylor; little white female dog; brown spot on back; ears badly torn; reward if returned to 741 Taylor. (c)

EYEGLASSES—Lost, on Grand and Harper, in Erker case, Tuesday morning. 3835 West Av.

FANCY WORK—Lost, on 4th st. car No. 2631, Return 3047 McDonald av., or 1808 Henrietta st.; reward.

PURSE—Lost, containing ladies' diamond ring, gent's diamond set; cuff links, $18 cash, in Gravois Theater; reward, 2200 Tully 20c.

HOUND—Lost, brown beagle, Thursday, about 1:30 p. m., on Olive st. rd. in vicinity of Mail. Return to 3881 St. Ferdinand.

KEYS—Lost, 3 Yale keys, on Nov. 22, 2038 Franklin. (7)

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LA VALLIERE—Lost, topax setting, between Pierre Bldg. and Famous & Barr; reward. 5724 Utah pl.

LICENSE—Lost, automobile State license D67,047; reward. Lewis Automobile Co., Washington and Washington.

LOCKET—Lost, monogramed L. M. C.; reward. Call Mack, Olive 5488.

LOCKET—Lost, Sunday, between Balsom av. and Mo. Pac. tracks; reward. 6534 Balsom av.

LOCKET AND CHAIN—Lost; diamond set. H. B. monogram, Saturday, Nov. 22; return 3215 Greer av. or phone Tyler 2020W. (c)

MESH BAG—Lost, black gun metal, between Jefferson and Elliot on St. Louis, containing key, money and powder puff; reward. 3709 Dr. Louis.

MONEY—Lost, by little working girl, $2.40, in envelope, and kid gloves, on Broadway and Lucas; finder return same as she needs it, to 2221 Maiden lane.

NECK PIECE—Lost, brown and white feather, at McKinley station, Friday night. Finder bring same to Mrs. Carlie, 2231 St. Louis City, Ill., reward.

OVERCOAT—Lost, gent's, or taken from bench in Forest Park, King's highway and Clayton; reward. Mrs. Johnson, 6917 Berthold.

PACKAGE OF MUSIC—Lost, Thursday noon on Delmar car line, between Kingshighway and Grand; reward if returned to 5017 Von Versen.

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EYE GLASSES—Found; West Pine and Vandeventer; owner may receive same 3855 Pine.

HOUND—Found, beagle, with license at St. Louis County. Call F. Burkamp, Prospect Hill, Mo.

KEID CHAIN—Found, Thursday afternoon. Inquire Lost and Found Desk, Post-Dis.(J)

UMBRELLA—Found, in Olympic Theater balcony. Apply 5440A Eads av.

COMING EVENTS.

Solid agate, 10c line; minimum 30c.

BAZAR and auction, by C. D. Wolff Auxiliary, Sons of Veterans, at Loebig's Hall, Broadway and Geyer av., Dec. 6, 10 a. m. to 11 p. m. Christmas gifts a specialty.

EUCHRES

MRS. PFEFFER'S euchre, every Monday afternoon and evening. 2461A Louisiana.

MRS. THDESDE will give a euchre Monday afternoon, Dec. 1, 2:30. (c)

EUCHRE at St. Pius' Hall, Grand and Utah, Tuesday, Dec. 2, at 2:30. (c)

MRS. COTNEK will give a euchre every Thursday evening, 3924 Shenandoah; attendance prize.

MRS. HENNENFELDT'S euchre, Wednesday, Dec. 3; first prize quilt; 2:30 sharp. 1946A Benton st.

EUCHRE this afternoon and tonight; also Tuesday afternoon; tallies, 25c. Mrs. Shorter, 1311 S. 18th.

EUCHRE Saturday afternoon and evening, Dec. 6, 1913, 3015 S. Jefferson av.; tallies 25c. Mrs. Marsh.

HAND-PAINTED euchre, Thursday afternoon, Dec. 4, by Mrs. Hildmeier, 4014 Palm st.; tally 25c.

GRAND euchre this afternoon at 2 p. m., Cinderella Hall, Cherokee and Iowa, many suitable prizes, tallies 25c. (c)

EUCHRE and peanut stab; hand-painted china; Sunday afternoon, Dec. 7, Wagner's Hall, Cherokee and Texas, tallies 25c.

MRS. FORD'S china euchre, Wednesday, 2:30; get in my class and learn to paint; $2 per month. 5704 Theodosia.

EUCHRE given by Century Court 36, T. B. H., Wednesday evening, Dec. 3, Phoenix Hall, Jefferson and Cass avs.; tallies 25c. (6)

MRS. BELLER will give a euchre Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 3; tallies, 25c. 4418 Penrose st.

EUCHRE Thursday, 2:30 sharp, 4454 Easton; large tray, first; chop dish, second; Points; 25c.

MRS. ELLWANGER'S euchre, every Thursday afternoon, 3 o'clock sharp. 3506 Pennsylvania; club members wanted.

MRS. KAISER'S euchre, every Tuesday afternoon, 3 o'clock sharp. Wagner's Hall, Cherokee and Texas.

EUCHRE given by Busy Bee Club, Northwestern Hall, St. Louis and Elliot, Nov. 30, 2:30; tallies, 25c.

MRS. CARSON euchre Monday, the 1st and Friday 5th; hand-painted china and linen. 1327 Ellen.

MRS. CHAMBLIN'S euchre, Monday afternoon; punch bowl if attendance for 10 tables; 25c. 4424 Easton av.

MISS BEEBEE'S big euchre, 4434 Easton av.; Sunday evening, Nov. 30. Tallies, 25c. All big prizes; hand-painted china.

THE married ladies of the Holy Rosary Church will give their fifty-minute 500 and lotto party Tuesday, Dec. 2, in school hall, Newstead and San Francisco avs., 2:45 p. m.

LADIES' euchre, Knights Columbus Hall, Olive near Grand, Saturday, 2:15; contest for highest score begins Dec. 14; handsome hand-painted prizes.

MRS. SIEBEEMAN'S hand-painted china euchre, Friday evening, Dec. 5, National Union Hall, 2914 S. Jefferson; pretty prizes; tally 25c.

ARCH grand euchre, Wednesday, at 2:30 promptly, 3549 Olive; Knights of Columbus Hall, Cook-Leffler block No. 1; many beautiful hand-decorated prizes; tallies, 50c; points.

MRS. MELLON'S china euchre at 4434 Easton av., Wednesday, at 2 prompt; 10 tins, cream and sugar; at home Thursday, p. m. (c90)

HAND-PAINTED china euchre Wednesday afternoon at the National Hall, Jefferson and Pestalozzi; tallies, 25c. By Miss J. Feder.

BENEFIT euchre given by Mrs. Liebens, Wagner's Hall, corner Cherokee and Texas, av. Sunday afternoon, 2:30, Nov. 30, 1913; good prizes; 25c a person.

EUCHRE given by Women's Temple, Pythian Sisters for benefit of Pythian Home fund, Dec. 3, at Gill's Hall, n. e. cor. of Marcus and Easton. (c)

GRAND euchre given by Frank P. Blair Women's Relief Corps, at Marquette Hotel, 18th and Washington, Monday evening, Dec. 1, 8 o'clock sharp. (c)

EUCHRE by E. Bender, Tuesday at Spring and Cottage, at 2 o'clock. Friday afternoon, 4434 Easton, 2 o'clock, and next Sunday, Dec. 7. (c)

BIG euchre Sunday, at 3 p. m., 4434 Easton av.; punchbowl, salad with 6 dishes, chocolate pot and other prizes, crowd permitting. 50c. (c)

MISS MINNIE'S euchre this afternoon, Nov. 30, at Spring and Cottage Hall, 3 p. m., silver tea set, first prize, punch bowl; all good prizes; tallies 50c.

EUCHRE, Friday evening, 2925A Newstead; 10 tins cream and sugar; and rose bowl and pair of vases, attendance prizes; china fired daily.

MRS. THOMAS' euchre; beautiful hand-painted pictures and china; Monday, Dec. 1, 2:30 and 8:30 p. m.; tallies 50c. 320 S. Jefferson.

PENUCHLE and euchre every Sunday after noon and Monday evening; pretty hand-painted china; attendance prize, cake plate. 2720 N. Grand. (c99)

EUCHRE given by Woman's Auxiliary No. 29 to Typographical Union No. 8, at Hibernian Hall, 3619 Finney av., Tuesday eve, Dec. 2, 1913; first prize, rose in gold, cut glass, hand-painted plates.

GRAND hand-painted euchre given by Happy Four Club, at Newsum's Hall, 4412 Easton av., Sunday, Dec. 7, 2:30 p. m. today; 25c admission; large vegetable dish, chop plates, dresser set and other valuable prizes.

HAND-PAINTED china sale Monday, all day and evening; Miss Martha Boren will display and have for sale an attractive lot of hand-painted china suitable for holiday gifts at her home, 3433A Vista av.

HAND-PAINTED china euchre, other games; Hart's Hall, Semple and Easton, Thursday, 2:30 p. m.; 5 o'clock sharp; 50c; cups and saucers; 6 pie plates for other games; tally, 25c. H. Boettger. (c)

PARSON'S euchre, Monday, 2 sharp; 4-piece dresser set; 6 gold handle cups and saucers in pink roses; 2 chop plates; prize for every table; attendance prize. 2641 California.

A GRAND euchre, peanut party, will be given at Goller Hall, 8th and Allen, Thanksgiving afternoon; the play will begin at 2 p. m. Everybody is invited to attend. Grand prizes will be awarded.

M. THOMPSON'S euchre, Wednesday, 2:30. Woman's Hall, 3d and Allen. Hand-painted cider pitcher and 6 steins, 17-inch turkey platter, 15-inch meat platter, vegetable bowl, many other valuable prizes; Friday, 2942 Cottage; 25c.

GRAND charity euchres and hop by St. Louis Pythian Association, Monday, Dec. 8 at New Club Hall, 13th and Chouteau; Tuesday, Dec. 9, Westminster Hall, 3806 Olive; Wednesday, Dec. 10, Social Turner Hall, 18th and Monroe sts.; valuable prizes; tickets, 25c, good either hall.

Business Announcements

VOGEL Tailoring Co.; suits made to order, $20; Room 316 Pierce Bldg. (c91)

WALTER maker the BEST CLOTHES. Call and see; 2d floor, 700 Pine st.

JUSTUS SCHAUMBERG, carpet and rug weaving done. 2627 Gravois.

ALL—Cheapest place in town for printing. McGill & Co., 121 N. 11th. Central 7175R. (c14)

LADIES—Bring in your combings; we will make you a braid or transformation for $1. Meier College, 3084 N. 6th; Central 1863R.

FANCY rag carpets and rugs woven reason. Call 1256 N. 27th st., East St. Louis, Ill. Bast 2665.

FANCY WORK—Embroidering, crochet bedspreads and fancy work for holidays, to order. Miss Leroux, 3710 S. Broadway.

ROUGH-DRY, 4c; 12 pieces, $1. Fare Laundry, Lindell 4054. Central 9787L; quick work. (c92)

LADIES—Best shampoo and hair dresser in the city; 10c and 25c. Meier's, 3084 N. 6th st. Central 1863R.

CUT PLATE printing; send $1; will print combination order of 250 letterheads, 250 envelopes and 250 business cards. Romacke Printing Co., 1305 S. Broadway. (c83)

REMARKABLE cure for foot trouble. Broken-down arch, bunion; have your shoes made by a practical shoe or last maker. Geo. Frech, 206 N. 10th; established since 1870. (c93)

ARE you going hunting next month? Be sure to investigate this if you are; hunting parties in the Ozarks planned; guides furnished. For further particulars address O. King, 2443 Lucede av.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS. CHRISTMAS GIFTS. You'll say you never saw such bargains as we are offering in genuine diamonds on credit. Beautiful, full cut, wide spread stones, full of fiery brilliancy. Your choice of solid gold or platinum mountings—rings, La Vallieres, scarf pins, ear screws, lockets, bracelets, etc. Our watches, too, are bargains—better values than ever; you can open a charge account for anything desired. LOFTIS BROS. & CO., 2d floor, 308 N. 6th. (c)

SANITARY ASH PITS.

Fireproof, portable, everlasting. Tomorrow's move, rust resisting. Made of Okay Metal. Portable Garages. Waste Cans. Corrugated Roofing, Tanks.
O. K. HARRY SHEET METAL CO.
Bell Grand 815. Kin. Victor 1218. (c30)

CARPET CLEAN'G, UPHOLSTER'G

UPHOLSTERING, compressed air carpet cleaning. Prettyman, 1819 N. Grand av. Phones Lindell 2606; Delmar 3738R. (c32)

CHICAGO Steam Carpet Cleaning Co., 2939 Minney. Phones Delmar 2451, Lindell 2030; also upholstering. (c8)

CARPETS cleaned, renovated to look like new; best work; lowest prices. Globe Carpet Cleaning Co., 2624 Olive. Central 4084, Bonnont 562 (c6)

LACE CURTAINS cleaned by hand at home; 2067 guaranteed. 4147 Connecticut. (c99)

LACE curtains cleaned, 25c up; portierer cleaned, 75c to $1; will guarantee any work; I am the only one who will call and deliver. G. McHale, 5565 Easton. Cabany 8015. (c99)

LACE CURTAIN CLEANING

NEW Hand Lace Curtain Cleaning Co., 2005 Cass; work called for and delivered. Tyler 2598.

EUCLID Lace and Curtain Cleaning Co., 1240 Euclid; all curtains, 25c pair. Forest 1591W.

MRS. CONLEY, lace curtain cleaner; modern equipment; first-class. Phone Lindell 2062R.

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STOVE REPAIRS

REPAIRS for any old stove. Forshaw, 111 N. 12th st.; Central 3491R, Main 3048. (c8)

FURNACES, HEATING, ETC.

IF your furnace heats basement more than house, if heating service unsatisfactory, no matter what you have, you have, if you want better heating service and you'll save fuel, worry, labor. Forest 5023. 5571 North Market.

We Will Make it Hot For You

We repair any furnace and put in new furnaces; sheet metal work of all kinds; guttering and spouting. DOCKERY
Work guaranteed. (c92)

WALL PAPER CLEANING, ETC

PAPER HANGING and painting; good work at reasonable price. J. E. Taylor, Central 9854X. (3)

ROOMS papered, $2; cleaned, 50c; painting; reasonable; guarantee satisfaction. Murray, 2402 Lucas. Lindell 1981. (c)

H. W. TOBIN will paper your rooms for $2 and up. 2825 Pine, Central 9400L, Bonnont 1989L.

WALL PAPER IT—Anything in wall paper; have good work done, it costs no more; guarantee our work 5 years; wholesale, retail. Benert Decorating Co., 2101 East Grand.

Employment Wanted

Solid agate, 5c line; business notices, publisher's option, 10c line; minimum, 2 lines.

MALE

ACCOUNTANT—Auditor, systematizer, correspondent, efficiency expert, at leisure Dec. 2, desires position. Box M-261, P.-D.

ACCOUNTANT—Sit., 8 years' experience; over 10 years in public accounting and auditing; will accept temporary position. Box G-256, Post-Dispatch.

ACCOUNTANT—Sit.; competent, rapid, accurate, reliable; experienced in cost keeping, auditing and statistical work. Box M-257, Post-Dispatch.

ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER—Young man, 28, best of references, good education, general office training, desires position. Box G-235, Post-Dispatch.

AUCTIONEER—Sit., by a good, allround; show and business spieler. Box G-34, Post-Dispatch.

AUTO MECHANIC—Sit.; technical training; 2 years' practical experience; full shop training; best references. Box W-189, P.-D.

BAKER—Sit. by good first hand; cake, bread or rolls. 1416 East Prairie.

BAKER—Sit. as bread and pastry baker; reliable man. Box M-137, Post-Dispatch. (2)

BAKER—Sit. by good first hand; cake, bread or rolls. 2116 E. Prairie.

BAKER—Employment by a first-class cake and pastry man; sober and reliable. Box M-111, Post-Dispatch.

BAKER—Sit. by first hand, experienced, on bread and rolls; references. 5977 Kensington.

BAKER—Sit.; first-class on bread and cakes; city or country; have references. Box M-152, Post-Dispatch.

BAKER—Sit. by first-class, allround, strictly sober and reliable country town; preferred. George Baker, 107 N. Broadway, St. Louis.

BARTENDER—Sit. by young German; do my own lunch. 6306 Alabama. (7)

BARTENDER—Sit.; speaks German and English; references. Central 2222J.

BARTENDER—Sit.; 7 years' experience; best references. Box G-260, Post-Dispatch.

BARTENDER—Sit.; fairly good mixer. Box R-261, Post-Dispatch. (7)

BARTENDER—Sit.; experienced; married; willing to do porter work. Box G-72, Post-Dispatch.

BARTENDER—Sit.; by young, married; wish steady position; best city references. Box G-269, Post-Dispatch.

BARTENDER—Sit.; young, safe, married; would do own porter work. Box G-194, Post-Dispatch.

BLACKSMITH—Sit. by good, and wagon maker. 704 S. Vandeventer.

BLACKSMITH—Sit.; all around. 226 St. Louis av.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit. by experienced and reliable accountant and auditor. Address F. H. F., 5370 Vernon. (7)

BOOKKEEPER—Sit.; registered in several states; city or country. Box M-241, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit. by experienced young man; age 26; good references. Box G-247, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Books audited weekly, $10 per month; books opened reasonable. Box M-50, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit. by experienced stenographer and office man; good references, moderate salary. 1160 Jersey.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit. by male bookkeeper-stenographer; young man; three evenings week. Box M-155, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Wants small set of books to keep, Sundays or evenings; or cleaning work of any kind; satisfaction guaranteed; 15 years' experience. Box W-187, P.-D.

BOOKKEEPER—10 years' experience; country customers' accounts for wholesale house, wishes to make change; good reasons; references. Box G-191, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit.; first-class; fully experienced; quick and accurate; good woman; married; references; moderate salary. Box G-267, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Competent German-American, extensive general experience, at collection in night or Sunday work; or leave city. Box M-280, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit. by credit man or cost accountant; experienced in all; now with one of the largest manufacturing concerns in country as cost accountant; wish to return to St. Louis; age 35; can furnish A1 references as to ability, character and habits from present employer or St. Louis references. Box G-7, P.-D.

BOY—Sit.; stenograher school graduate; one willing to work. Call or write H. Gunsberg, 5th floor st.

BOY—Sit. by colored; to do janitor work. 4111 Finney.

BOY—Sit.; young; with two years' experience in tool and dismaking. Box G-206, Post-Dispatch.

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BOY—Sit. by young man; clerical work; auto repair shop, or learn some trade; references. Forest 4283.

BOY—Sit. on farm by married man with family; monthly salary. Ad. Box 20, Glencoe, Mo.

BOY—Strong, colored wants porter work; 2 years' experience. Lindell 3084, call Belger. 4056 Finney av.

MANAGER—Sit. as manager or credit man; 11 years' experience, institutional business; best of references. G. 4256 Evans.

MAN AND WIFE—Sit. by young couple; city or country; honest and willing. Louis Johnson, 1310 Barron.

MAN—Sit. by married man, willing to do anything; good character and habits. Box M-141, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. as a strong, young, to work around warehouse; steady and sober. Box M-84, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. by steady, married, 35; work of any kind; handy with tools; have references. R. Varley, 1524 Pendleton. (7)

MAN—32, wants work of any kind; factory, wholesale house; speaks English, German; honest, steady. Box M-140, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit.; commercial order; 15 years' experience; best equipment; change of position, or home work. Box K-69, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. by young man, good at figures; inside position of any kind. Box G-151, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Neat, young, wishes position as shipping or receiving clerk; 3 years' experience; am now employed. Box K-263, Post-Dis.

MAN—Sit., intelligent and industrious; young; 23; any kind that has opening; will give me an interview. Box G-105, P.-D. (3)

MAN—Married, would like to get work; will go to any kind of work. Box G-234, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Position on poultry farm; could take full charge. R. Ferrenbach, Chesterfield, Mo.

MAN—Sit., of any kind, by a sober, honest, single, young German; understands saloon work. Box G-228, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. by German dining worker; some experience on automobiles, wants sit. in private family. Box M-44, P.-D.

MAN—Position of any kind with a future, by young, temperate, not afraid of work. Box G-268, Post-Dispatch.

MAN AND WIFE—With experience, want rooming house to care for or similar work; best references. Box M-278, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young, desires position with jobbing house to call on contractors and sell; best of references. Box M-277, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young, would like position in real estate office to learn business; can furnish best of references. Box G-192, Post-Dis.

MAN—Sit. to attend horses and outside work in good neighborhood; references. Frank Papin, 4301 Washington.

MAN—Young, German, wants work; willing to work; handy with tools. Box M-76, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Wants furnaces to fire, near 5400 block Bartmer av. Address Janitor, 5418 Bartmer av. (1)

MAN—Sit. by German, single, experienced; good references; assist house, flowers, drive auto; sober, reliable. Box M-69, P.-D.

MAN—Sit.; 25 years old; work of any kind; experienced in electrical line; can do general work. Box G-242, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young, 26, with good references, desires position with good firm, with view of getting on road. Box M-229, Post-Dis.

MAN—Sit.; experienced, with city references; would like cleaning by the day. Call Lindell 3081.

MAN—Sit. by young, aged 22, wishes position of any kind; best of references. M. G., 3706 Dunnica.

MAN—Young, employed, with business ability, desires work after 5:30 p. m.; references. Box M-87, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit., clerk or collector, aged 22, experienced; references. Sidney 60. Box M-154, Post-Dispatch.

MAN AND WIFE—Sit. by colored; wife as cook, man housework and janitor. 3206 Pine. Call Bonnont 2946.

MAN AND WIFE—Sit. by colored, from South; wife for cook, man for butler; first-class references; call or write. 3902 Finney.

MAN—Sit. man with horse gardener; handy, useful about place. Box M-244, Post-Dispatch.

MAN AND WIFE—With experience, wants rooming house to care for or similar work; must be respectable. Box M-158, Post-Dis.

MAN—Sit. by married man, 28; handy with carpenter's tools; also drill or punch presser; references. Thos Frank, 1320 Monroe st.

MAN—Sit. by young, 25 years of age; 5 years' experience in jewelry business; 2 years' high school education; accept anything reasonable to start with. Box M-3, Post-Dis.

MAN—Sit. by middle-aged German; experienced landscape gardener and florist and nurseryman; for private place or resort. Box G-151, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. by young man, 24 cl., high school graduate; 2 year in law; can operate typewriter; will consider anything clerical. Box G-254, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. by elderly man, would like to tend furnace, yard and front for bed and board; East St. Louis preferred. Box G-68, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. by middle-aged white, allround hand, private house; city or county; moderate wages; references. Robert McGibbon, 4007 Washington.

MAN—Sit.; young; married; taking correspondence course in bookkeeping; wishes position as assistant bookkeeper; references. Box M-104, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit.; someone to give a steady, sober man, who has a steady job at once, to make Christmas money; city or country. Best references. Box G-188, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Wanted, by elderly gentleman, position as any kind; extensive business experience; bookkeeper; give an old man a chance. Box G-44, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. as handy man in hotel in apartment house or night clerk for same; have a thorough knowledge of both. Box W-266, Post-Dispatch. (7)

MAN—Colored; 35 years of age; first-class cook; wants sit. in private family will handle white housework; city references. Phone Bell, Webster 897.

MAN—Sit. by middle-aged, single; thoroughly understands care of horses and cows, lawn and grass and all kinds of work about private place; good references. Call 2 E. Elliot, Webster 1787.

MAN—Young, having diesel engineer's license and fireman's license, desires position with an artificial limb can do; will accept any kind of work; can furnish references. Box W-278, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Work of any kind in private family, garage or apartment; understand firing furnace during cold weather; 3 years' experience; very willing worker. Call Forest 6268.

MAN—Sit. by young man of good address, position for permanent, social, confidential employment 3 evenings per week; salary not important; willing worker; reference if desired. Address Box 218 Post-Dispatch.

MAN—We want man or woman over 30 years of age, married preferred, to manage branch office; salary and interest in business from start. Address Box G-107, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. by colored man as janitor or porter. H. Davis; call Delmar 3672X.

JANITOR—Wants position in apartment or flat; sober, married man; good mechanic. 1429 S. 8th st.

JANITOR—Young couple would like position as janitor and housemaid. Apply 1118 S. 8th st.

JANITOR—Sit.; colored, married man; understands boilers. Call or write Grant, 3331 Pine, Bonnont 879.

JANITOR—Sit. by colored man as janitor or houseman; good references. Joe Williamson, Bonnont 2778.

JANITOR—Sit. by an experienced and sober janitor in apartment or rooming house; will go about boilers and heating plants. Box W-279, Post-Dispatch. (7)

JANITOR—Sit. as janitor or porter or for firing furnace; will stay on Sundays; or as third cook for hotel. C. Jones, 2110 Randolph.

JANITOR—White man, married 34 years old, thoroughly understands heating systems and repairing, wishes position to care for apartment office building or flats. Box M-68 Post-Dispatch.

LAUNDRY MAN—Sit. by colored; washerman or wringer man; experienced. Write George Walker, 2608 Franklin av.

LAUNDRY FOREMAN—Wishes position with some reliable firm; best references, best service, long experience, steady and reliable. Box G-188, Post-Dispatch. (2)

LAUNDRY FOREMAN—Sit. by practical allround man; several years' experience charge of large plants; first-class reference furnished. Will go anywhere; write at once. Box G-194, Post-Dispatch. (2)

LIMEBURNER—Sit.; experienced; widower, no family; can work for any department, including accounting; practical engineer and inspector. Box G-72, Post-Dispatch.

MACHINIST—Young man, sober and steady, wishes employment in machine shop; best references. Box M-23, Post-Dispatch. (7)

MAN—Aged 24, desires work; willing, reliable; good references. Box G-49, P.-D. (5)

MAN—Sit., 22; honest; reliable; office or store; moderate salary. Box G-216, P.-D.

MAN—Sit.; to drive wagon or do work of any kind. 3y 4 Point, 1218 N. Euclid.

MAN—Sit. by allround handy, to attend furnace. Box G-147, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. by steady, reliable, young; handy with tools. Box K-176, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit.; cleaning, job work or halls and offices cared for. Bonnont 1971.

MAN—Sit. on farm by married man with family; monthly salary. Ad. Box 20, Glencoe, Mo. (6)

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HOUSEGIRL—Sit., housework or plain cooking; without laundry. 2557 Matalie av. (1)

HOUSEGIRL—Sit.; general housework; not afraid of work. Call or write 2606½ Lucas.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by good girl to do housework; small family; no washing. 6136 Vista.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by reliable, intelligent German girl, speaks some English, capable of teaching and nursing children. 3045 Lucas av.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by young; do housework and wait on table; in private family; no laundry or outside work; prefer western part of city; thoroughly experienced. 1456 Hamilton.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit.; in motherless home; must have work. Box F-156, Post-Dis.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by woman; good cook and seamstress. 1511 Ckerii av.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit.; a reliable young widow; unincumbered. Box G-123, P.-D.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by rooming house for two wages and 200 boarders. 1825 Lami.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by lady with child. 1466 Arlington.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit.; by middle-aged lady; good cook; references. Box F-18, P.-D.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by middle-aged lady to bring home; best references. Mrs. M. Sanders, 3511 Lawton.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by first-class; wants bungalow to bring home or days out; references. Lindell 4005.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by first-class; bundles to bring home or days; references. Lindell 1406.

HOUSEKEEPER—Wants work Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday. 1210 Benton; Mrs. Lehmann.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by first-class, white; take home bundles for ladies or couples boarding. Phone Cabany 5639. (1)

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by respectable young woman. Phone Bomont 603. 3205 Lucas.

HOUSEKEEPER—Lady with furniture would like housekeeping position. 4228 Lee av.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by widow; good manager. Call all week, 3216 S. Compton.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit.; widow with 2 children. 1406 Francis.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit.; apartment, by widower or bachelor; good manager. Box K-131, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit.; club or hotel; experienced; first-class references. Ball Four 8419W.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by German Jewish middle-aged; small family. Box F-4, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit.; middle-aged lady; experienced; can cook, with references. Mrs. Wills, 4482 Papin.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by a capable young woman, in a respectable home. Box G-81, Post-Dispatch. (7)

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by young woman with girl 3 years old, in motherless home. Box R-241, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit.; experienced; or cook; can give references. Call 1013 N. Compton av.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted by lady for couple or motherless home; references exchanged. Box F-29, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit.; by middle-aged German lady; in a private family. Call or write 2454 Arsenal st. St. Louis, Mo. (6)

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by elderly woman with grown person or couple, or to assist with housework. 5808 Franklin.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by colored; Monday and Tuesday; also cook; Southern. 1615 Morgan.

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LAUNDRESS—First-class colored, wants 3 days. Phone Bomont 2784.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class colored, out by day. Bomont 4577.

LAUNDRESS—Bundles wanted or by day; first-class. Phone Delmar 3307.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. for day work or bundles to bring home. Bomont 2789.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by colored, Tuesday and Wednesday. Write A. Dunn, 3122 Lawton.

LAUNDRESS—Wants Monday and Tuesday out. Phone Lindell 4546W.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class; white. Lindell 1018W.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by colored, Monday and Tuesday. Bomont 2889.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class. Bomont 2784.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by colored, 2 or 3 days each week; references. Olive 298.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class; bundles to bring home. Call Bomont 1048, Hattie.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by experienced colored; ladies' bundles to bring home; references. Lindell 1410, 3515 Lawton.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by lady with child. 1466 Arlington.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class colored; bundles bring home; best references. Mrs. M. Sanders, 3511 Lawton.

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LAUNDRESS—Wants work Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday. 1210 Benton; Mrs. Lehmann.

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LAUNDRESS—Sit.; steady work, washing and cleaning, for Wednesday and Thursday. 1704A S. 8th st.

LAUNDRESS—First-class, would like small bundles to bring home. H. Williams, Lindell 2942W.

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LAUNDRESS—Colored, wants Monday and Tuesday for general housework. Bomont 2802, Johnson.

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AGENTS—More National and Keystone vacuum cleaners have been sold than all other makes combined; the reason, large output, quick delivery best quality, low prices, absolute protection and big paying territory; classy, flexible and order books free. Manning Stone Sales Co., Peoples Gas Bldg., Chicago.

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AGENTS—Amazing invention—nearly new style kerosene burner, fits ordinary lamp; gives brilliant, strong white light; relieves eyes at once; prevents smoke and smell; nothing like it. Agents making big money. Easily sold and wonderful repeater. Handsome nickel-plated demonstrating sample outfit, complete, 35c postpaid. Radiolite Co., Dept. 905, Toledo, O.

AGENTS—Join us in the biggest selling campaign ever open to you; exclusive agency for an article that will sell everywhere to housewife, restaurant, butcher, grocer, hotel, etc.; opportunity to combine business and wanting to keep them sharp; popular price; big profit; absolute protection. R. C. Springler, 30 E. Randolph st., Chicago.

AGENTS—New gas-generating coal oil lamp; burns 76 per cent cheaper; gives more light at 1-10 of a cent an hour; brightest, surest, cheapest light in the world; every home a prospect; exclusive opportunity to sell; attractive terms to agents; write quick for territory and 15-day free trial offer. If you remain business. Thomas Lamp Co., 5408 Wayne Bldg., Dayton, O. (c)

AGENTS—Get wise and save postage; have your name registered in our mailing directory, which is sent to agents all over the world, so they can send you free samples. Co-Operative Directory magazine and all new opportunities for the asking; send 25c to cover cost of registration and you'll receive big profit free. Monarch Mail Directory, Dept. 7, Ithaca, N. Y.

AGENTS—$2000 in 5 weeks made by one Robinson, salesman; N. T. Smith, Toledo, $90 one week; Tremont, $40 in 2 days; you can make $60 and expenses every week; I want hustlers like you to advertise, sell and appoint agents for wonderful new kitchen bath tub; no plumbing; no waterworks needed; folds in small roll; absolutely guaranteed; 5 sales a day easy. Albert Mfg. Co., The Robinson Co., 557 Yance st., Toledo, O.

AGENTS—$50 weekly our family needle case a wonder; 500% profit; 5 sold where carried; 200 per cent to 400 per cent profit; it; selling unnecessary; our "trust scheme" helps sell it; we prove it; we prove that our general agents can make over $100 weekly; particulars free; 26c sample outfit for 10c; write today. Needle Case Co., 1 Bell ve., Dept. 1, Yonge st., Toronto, Can.

AGENTS—A business of your own! We will establish responsible persons in business for themselves, handling our big line of teas, coffees, extract, grocery, drug and toilet goods; experience unnecessary; we start you; no capital required; we furnish everything; no particulary desire to get in touch with experienced tea and coffee men and those already established; write today. Royal Tea Co., 2424 S. Park st., Chicago, Ill. (cx99)

AGENTS—New, startling invention—combination sunlight burner and lamp burns kerosene illumination into brilliant gas light; rivals electricity; saves oil; no mantles; simply turn key; makes its own gas; gives light 3 times larger than any other burner; every home buys several; $3 a day easily made; 800 per cent profit; agents outfit, 25c; particulars free. Robinson-Butler Co., 351 Yance st., Toledo, O.

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AGENTS—September Morn, large fast pillow sheet picture, reproduced in 6 colors; 6 others equally fine in 6 colors; we want wide awake agents to place them in every; easy seller; enormous profits; sample 10c. Consolidated Art Co., Jean & Gamble, 2-6-10 Chicago Opera House Block, Chicago.

AGENTS and specialty men; there is a scientific reason for best sellers; ours does never will sell; why waste time? Write us; we'll tell you; Hillbert Sales Co., New York; to analyzer; worth thousands to the right man; Hillbert Sales Co., New York.

JUST OUT—Lowe's greatest shaving stick; 4 times as large; beautiful perfumed; lasts all for 10c. Lowe Chemical Co., 1737 Orleans, New Orleans.

LET me pay you $60 monthly; only 10 minutes of your time daily required; all we ask one in your home; no canvassing; let us tell you how you how to start mail order business; legitimate; no scheme; we are getting big business and shares. Vest-Pocket Co., 1 Vest-Pocket Bldg., Chicago.

CANVASSERS AND SOLICITORS

CANVASSERS—Sell blankets, pictures, clocks, wringers, curtains, etc., from work; cash or easy payments. Nesag Co., 1205 Randolph st., Chicago.

CANVASSERS—Ladies, 100 per cent profit; every lady wants one. Apply 701 Washington ave., 2d floor.

CANVASSERS—Women for house-to-house work; salary proposition. Room 102 Merchants' Exchange.

CANVASSERS—$10 experienced house-to-house, who can show results; can advance $25 to $5 day 7. W. Lough, Commercial Hotel.

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SOLICITORS—Six; $5 up the $1. 2718 Cass.

SOLICITOR—For wire screen; state experience. Box R-217, Post-Dispatch.

SOLICITOR—For made-to-measure $5-$10 extraordinary proposition. Box R-219, Post-Dispatch.

SOLICITORS—At once; permanent; commission; new proposition. Call or write, Miller Co., 725 Wainwright Bldg.

SOLICITORS—House-to-house, both male and female; fast seller proposition. Room 1, 2 E. 5th.

SOLICITOR—Man of good appearance and address, by responsible firm; must be good solicitor; big commission paid; no collection or city work. Call 201 Chestnut.

SOLICITORS—Having experience or superior ability to fill position of traveling salesman; permanent position; $1,200 to start. Address Box R-220, Post-Dispatch.

SOLICITORS—Experienced magazine; attractive proposition; old-established weekly; salary or commission; call 10 a. m. 1408 Syndicate Trust Bldg. Chas. Wright, circulation. (c)

PARTNERS WANTED

PARTNER Wtd.—Cleaner and dyer, or letter to him little capital. Box R-210, P.-D. for consultation.

PARTNER Wtd.—With $9000; chance to make a fortune. 318 Holland Bldg.

PARTNER Wtd.—Lady; first-class roomingh house; good proposition. Box M-187, P.-D.

PARTNER Wtd.—In old-established business; or will sell. Apply 3523 Olive.

PARTNER Wtd. — Grading, excavating, wrecking and coal business. Apply 3818 Kentucky.

PARTNER Wtd.—Sober and reliable; must have $2000 to put in good-paying business. Box R-226, Post-Dispatch.

PARTNER Wtd.—Well-established business; must furnish reference; $600 required. Thomas Cull, 2028 Olive st.

PARTNER—Young man to manage good-paying saloon, North Side. E. L. Gaspar & Co., 722 Chestnut st., room 902.

PARTNER Wtd.—In coal; express; good business; $1,000 to $1,500 cash required; all days; gets the business; list furnished. Holton's Corp. Magazine, 1950 Sheffield av., Chicago.

$100 A MONTH simply mailing post cards in spare time; nothing to sell; for mail; particulars for stamp. Hercalus Co., Cook-mina.

$35 WEEKLY selling Pals changeable scarf pin; hundred other articles; particulars free. Pals Manufacturing Co., 80 5th av., New York City. (99)

NO LIVE wire agents wanted immediately to handle new seller; everyone buys at sight; big profits; sure repeater; free particulars. Edwin Clyde Co., Bellaire, O.

$25-WORD advertisement in 100 magazines, $1; list furnished; low rates on newspapers Gem Advertising Agency, 315-25 Appel Bldg., Denver, Colo.

$10 PER 100 upward paid tacking signs, distributing booklets, samples, etc.; send 6c stamp for prize list and full agents' directory. Shepard's Agency, Lebanon, N. H.

FINEST POLISH MOP On the market; big profits; premium plan that gets the quantity sales; factory prices on vacuum cleaners and sweepers. Jaeger Mfg. Co., 1100 Sherwin Block, Cleveland, O.

DOLLARS FOR SENSE, NOT CENTS. We want an intelligent lady or gentleman in each city, town and village in the United States and Canada to represent our company; a splendid chance to make a fortune; no capital required; just honesty and integrity. Address silver for book; particulars Box 892, Sales Agency, Iowa Falls, Ia.

MR. MAIL ORDER MAN. Beginners; established firms; deal with responsible corporation; furnish high-class order line; factory prices; classy proposition; copyrighted prospectus free; write today. MISSISSIPPI VALLEY MFG. CO., 2 E. 5th, Pittsburg, Kan.

LADY AGENTS

LADY AGENTS TO HANDLE FAST SELLER That is a fine repeater; main or side line; city or country; get our proposition with free sample quick. Zumota Co., Springfield, Mass.

AGENTS—Women, make money at home making canvas gloves which sell readily; my valuable instructions and pattern, all you need to start business, mailed for 25c. C. W. Herbert, Oakland City, Ind. (99)

LADY AGENTS—Sell what people want; my agents are making big money because people want my goods, which are popular priced, everyday necessities that cannot be bought in stores; deal direct with the manufacturer and make all the profit yourself; write at once. A. M. Young, 8 Young's Bldg., Kalamazoo, Mich.

A LADY can earn $10 weekly, copying letters, spare time, at home; booklet, 10c in silver, tells how. Commercial Copying Association, Washington, D. C.

ANY ambitious person may earn $10 to $25 weekly during spare time at home, writing for newspapers; no canvassing; literary ability not required; field 23,000 papers; send for particulars. Press Bureau, F-24, Washington, D. C.

EARN $10 to $15 weekly copying and addressing; particulars for stamp. Rex Co., 12 High st., W., Detroit, Mich.

LADIES—Make $16 to $35 weekly handling our ladies' sanitary specialties; positive necessities; quick sales; light to carry; write today. Madame Wilson, Woman's Department 222 N. Desplaines, Chicago.

MAILING circulars is light, pleasant work for spare time, no experience or canvassing; send name, book of instructions at once. Raymond, 10 Roxbury Crossing, Mass.

$2.70 PER DAY paid one lady in each town to take agency for our high-grade specialty; hold necessities; experience unnecessary; permanent business; particulars free. Box 47, Somerville, Mass.

$15 WEEKLY, spare time, at home, addressing; folding advertising matter for large mail order houses; send 10c postage for particulars and particulars. Western Novelty Co., Indianapolis.

$1 PER DOZEN can be earned at home embroidering our emblems; no canvassing; any quantity; plain spare time work; trial set stamped handkerchiefs and instructions, 25c; sent any distance. Arabian Supply Co., Dept. 56, Cleveland, O.

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TRADE SCHOOLS AND AGENCIES

COMPLETE course in candy making taught by mail; for terms, write at once. St. Louis Mail Order Co., 2006 Rutger st.

TELEGRAPHING—While earning wages, learn telegraphing with Union Electric Telegraph Co., 102 N. Third st., room 303.

WRITE motion picture plays; big demand; $40 to $100 each; there's no "if" in this work; complete instructions 10c

BUSINESS CHANCES

BODY can earn $20 weekly, raising mushrooms; entire year in cellars, sheds; no capital; waiting; free booklet. Mushroom, 528 West 48th st., New York.

Unique opportunity is offered investors to purchase stock in successful going Florida resort. Improvements necessary; increase capital to enlarge business; stock for lifetime; stock secured by land; dividends annually; 10 per cent. Interview given and required; liberal selling contract given investors in their local towns; good earning possibilities with little or no time devoted to our interest. Address Box 1704 Fisher Bldg., Chicago. (c)

$10 TO $100 DAILY—made $300 weekly in real estate with a small mail-order business began with $5; an intelligent person can do the work; free booklet tells how. Address R-522, Lockport, N. Y.

CASH for secondhand machinery plants, millings, bridges, mills, factories, old iron and steel rails, track material, contractors' and equipment. M. Mitshkun Co., Detroit, Mich.

CHANCE for two young men with small capital to take up recently established mail order business; splendid opportunities for ambitious workers; everything in good; stationery and office equipment; owing to disagreement of present owners; prompt offer will get bargain, as party is leaving city. Box M-130, Post-Dispatch.

CUTTY Wtd.—Will exchange 1500 tracts of oil land that sell at $5 each, located in Illinois fields, for equity in St. Louis income. Box M-208, Post-Dispatch.

ESTABLISHED manufacturer wants state manager, high class material, shop pay $20,000 annually; $500 to $1000 cash required to express to Chicago if you are a man we want; references. Richardson, Old Colony Chicago.

EXPERIENCED brass manufacturer, with some money, can secure part or entire interest in established manufacturing business. Address P. O. Box 22, Houston, Tex. (1)

FOR LEASE—St. Charles hotel and lunch room, Pana, Ill.; completely furnished; 18 sleeping rooms; located near C. R. R. and Big Four Depot; rent reasonable. Address Ad. F-W, Howell, Pana, Ill.

GOOD chance for lady or gentleman interested in aeroplanes with $500, to make money. Box 1, Post-Dispatch. (c)

FOR SALE—100,000 shares of stock to develop The Francis Gold Mine; 600 acres adjoining a large producer; write for particulars. Pandora Mining and Milling Co., 33 Symes Bldg., Denver, Colo.

FOR SALE—Dairy proposition complete; cows, mules, horses, wagons, implements and everything included; sell milk with gain; bargain; write for particulars; other propositions. Floyd Porterfield Co., Springfield, Mo. (c)

FOR want of capital and management to promote, will sell a part or entire interest in stock of a high-grade tailor system of dressmaking; conducted as a mail order and correspondence business; a money-maker; investigate. Ad. R. A. Fountain, 511 S. 20th st.

FURNISHING GOODS—For sale, stock men's furnishings, hats and clothing; will sell reasonable, as store is leased. Sam Well, 1122 Olive st.

GENERAL mercantile business in thriving Montana town, in rich stock and farming district; will invoice about $15,000. Address Box 1, Cascade, Mont.

GET your holiday umbrellas covered and repaired. A reputation to maintain; prices allowed. George Wilson 205 N. Jefferson. (c)

GOOD notes and open mercantile accounts discounted on reasonable terms. Box M-45, Post-Dispatch.

HOTEL—In Steelville, Mo., for sale; has a good transient trade; also a good local trade; is a good 15-room frame building; located at depot; perfect title; price $4000; terms, cash or liberal time; no trades. Box 6, Steelville, Mo.

I HAVE $1000 to invest in a good paying proposition that will give part profits or no attention will be paid. Box M-121, Post-Dispatch.

I HAVE the best equipped restaurant in Granite City, Ill.; it is doing a good cash business and is a money maker; want to sell to an experienced restaurant man; call and inspect it any time. J. E. Molthrop, 3rd and Main.

I MADE $50 a week at home, French bread making; 15 years' experience, free booklet tells how to start without capital. Ashton, 1 Ashton Bldg., Chicago. (c)

I NEED good men, everywhere; part or all time; learn my business; make money with no experience needed; desk and full outfit free. Write me today. Leander Dept. 50-B, 12 Hat st., New York. (c)

INVENTORS—Let us develop your ideas, make your models, design, build, patterns and manufacture your invention; send rough sketch or sample to estimate from. Gerding Bros., 1000 Hunt, Cincinnati, O.

I WAS advertising man for Sears, Roebuck & Co.; years of experience in the mail order business; let me start you in the small mail order business right from home, no matter where you live; experience unnecessary; I furnish everything; booklet free. Address Wm. Ward, Dept. 1, Harry B. Brown, Suite 800, Swarts Bldg., Omaha, Neb.

I WILL start you in the mail order business and furnish you my goods. Crest Co., 10 Atlantic City, N. J. (c)

LADIES—Send for our Christmas surprise package containing Christmas gifts; make your friends happy; price, $1.00; prepaid. Mrs. Lawrence st., Dept. 55, New York, Conn. (c)

LARGE room in opera house; good stand for ice cream, cigars, etc.; picture shows every night. J. L. Calvin, Washington, Mo.

MAIL ORDER—Every mail order house should have; saves labor, time and money; money back if dissatisfied; 50c silver. Harry Foster, Dept. 36, Yorkville, S. Carolina.

MANUFACTURER wants state managers with $500 to $1000 to establish office and wholesale agencies; no selling; money; wanted monthly salary, also liberal commission; reference required. Sales Mgr. 575 Monon Bldg., Chicago.

MONEY Wtd.—$1000, local manufacturing concern; very safe and very profitable investment; without services. With chance to more than double your money. Box E-258, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY Wtd.—$1000, without services, by local manufacturing company; will be well-secured and very profitable investment; a good opportunity to more than double money; references. Box A-44, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MOVING PICTURE SHOW—Have a nice, paying show, running every day, one of very best locations in St. Louis, must have heavy investment; will give to someone genuine bargain; have the very best of reasons for selling. Box G-119, P.-D.

MOVING PICTURE SHOW—Will sell, with or without lease, my well established business; $100 month to start; no limit to future; a few hundred dollars required; open for investigation; do not answer unless you mean business. Box R-230, Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—Promoter of experience and good business standing to aid in organizing local manufacturing company with trade established and profits large. Box M-240, P.-D.

WANTED—An idea! Who can think of some thing to patent? Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth. Write for "Needed Inventions" and "How to Get Your Patent and Your Money." Randolph & Co., Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C. (8)

WE manufacture specialties in the wooden ware line; let us submit estimate on what you have to make; state details and if goods are in our line will arrange for interview. Address P. O. Box 156 Bremen Station, St. Louis, Mo.

WILL sell half interest or whole of steam-heated garage; as good location as there is in St. Louis; capacity for 50 to 60 cars; well equipped general repair shop in connection; reasonable rent. Box H-72, P.-D.

YOUNG MAN will invest $150 and services in office business. Box G-120, P.-D.

YOUNG man located in Colorado wants gentleman or lady partner, some means; good proposition. Box J-25, Post-Dis. (1)

$10 for one word advertisement placed in 25 good monthly magazines for $1.25; one-inch display, $3; write for list. F. L. Miller, 1501 Randolph, Syracuse, N. Y.

$250 SECURES State territory for quick-selling garage necessity; clears $200 per month; money secured; can make big money by starting subagents; hustlers only. Box M-170, Post-Dispatch.

35-WORD ad in 50 magazines, $1; 3 times, $2; national circulation; reaches all classes; gets the business; list furnished. Hints Pop. Magazine, 1950 Sheffield av., Chicago.

$1000 SECURES title equipped mine; producing ground $250,000; $100 accepted; $1000 raised in 60 days or money returned. S. G. Bradford, Denver, Col.

$30 MAGIC TRICKS, with cards, coins, handkerchiefs, etc., simplified and illustrated so that anyone can perform them; to introduce catalogue of tricks and books, all for 10c. Harry Johnson, Malden Rock, Wis. (c)

$2000 TO $5000 can be netted in next 6 months in selling specialty every garage must unfortunately buy; easy demonstration sales; $1000 necessary; money secured; exclusive state territory given. Box R-168, Post-Dis.

I WANT a good business woman with $500 to $1000 and services to invest, to act as permanent office assistant in an established and paying business; money always secured by stable stock on hand; salary or share in profits. Box R-83, Post-Dispatch.

GENTLEMAN with business experience would like to associate himself in established business; office or specialty business; can give bank and commercial references and would require same; can invest small amount money. Box R-229, Post-Dispatch.

$5000 WILL take half interest in manufacturing business clearing $12,000 per year net; must have partner; reason given; this is a bona fide proposition and will stand the investigation of any man in St. Louis. Box G-147, Post-Dis.

YOUNG man to take half interest in a well-established business; $100 month to start; no limit to future; a few hundred dollars required; open for investigation; do not answer unless you mean business. Box R-230, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS WANTED

LUNCHROOM Wtd.—Must be good-paying; small office and expenses. Box R-224, P.-D.

MAN—With strong horse and wagon would like delivery work for some firm. L. T. Gibson, 4347A Finney av., Lindell 3408W. (c)

MERCHANDISE Wtd.—To buy a stock of merchandise; give complete description and lowest cash price. Anchor Hotel, Collinsville, Ill.

MOVING reasonably done; first-class service. Shutterson, 4539 McMillan. Phone Delmar 2202L. (6)

MOVING PICTURE SHOW Wtd.—Do not answer unless you can show clear title, asking price, terms location and reason for selling. Box G-104, Post-Dispatch.

NEWSPAPER ROUTE Wtd.—To buy. F. Dreste, 3515 S. 2d.

ODEON Wtd.—Or rooming house, or small hotel. Box K-111, Post-Dispatch.

OLD ACCOUNTS collected; detective work done; reasonable. Box M-59, Post-Dis.

PICTURE SHOW Wtd.—A paying, or location, anywhere. Box R-171, Post-Dispatch.

READ THIS—I will paper your rooms, ceiling and walls complete for $3; good quality paper; good work; send postal will call with samples. Oliver, 1921 Olive st.

ROOMING HOUSE Wtd.—Must be near car line; will pay cash if suitable. Box M-280, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMING HOUSE—10 to 20 rooms; must be reasonable; centrally located. Bomont 1501.

ROOMING HOUSE Wtd.—In West End; 10 to 12 rooms; owners state location and price.

FULDNER R. E. CO., 14 N. Eighth st.

SALOON Wtd.—Will pay $500 to $2000 for good one. Box G-257, Post-Dispatch.

SMALL BUSINESS Wtd.—Suitable for man and wife, with living rooms; will invoice full particulars. Box M-97, Post-Dispatch.

WANTED, to bid on your ash hauling, 116 N. Cardinal; Bomont 1683.

WE can sell you cheap fire and tornado insurance at the cheapest rates.

TOMBRIDGE AGENCY, 500 Chestnut. (c4)

WHEN you want to sell a "good business" quick get in touch with

MISS JACK EYDMAN, 814 Chemical Bldg.

YOUR business sold quick by listing with us; oldest licensed brokers in city. Phone Central 1883 or Olive 337. Call or write. E. L. Caspar & Co., 722 Chestnut st., room 302.

COLLECTIONS

Old accounts, claims on notes collected anywhere in the world by Oscar H. Gretmann, specialist, 616 Laclede Bldg., St. Louis. (c99)

BUSINESS FOR SALE

ABSTRACT AND TITLE BUSINESS—For sale or exchange; good business; will exchange for farm near good town or suburban property; at discount for all cash. H. Cleino, Leslie, Mo.

AUTOMOBILE, general and welding plant; $1500.

MISS JACK EYDMAN, 814 Chemical Bldg.

AUTO REPAIR SHOP AND GARAGE—For sale, or will take partner with half interest; good opportunity for right party. Box G-110, Post-Dispatch.

AUTOMOBILE BUSINESS—Shop, stock, two cars; Locust st.; good lease; price $2000; going to Europe; rare opportunity for someone. Box M-86, Post-Dispatch.

AUTO garage and repair shop; best in the city for the price; will sell half or all interest to young man who is willing to learn trade.

E. L. CASPAR & CO., 722 Chestnut st., room 302.

AUTOMOBILE GARAGE—Renting, livery and exchange; west end; well established; well paying; doing $2000 monthly; account ill-health at less than invoice price; half cash; balance easy payments; nine cars. 714 Wainwright Bldg.

BAKER SHOP—Must go at a sacrifice. Apply 7319 S. Broadway. (c)

BAKERY—For sale, new and restaurant; only one in town of 5000 population. Box J-8, Post-Dispatch. (6)

BANKS—For sale on business and Nebraska; Sheffield Investment Co., 600 Rialto Bldg., Kansas City, Mo. (7)

BAKERY—Suburbs, $500.

Can sell a few to bakeries.

MISS JACK EYDMAN, 814 Chemical Bldg.

BAKERY—Paying business; best location; good German neighborhood; selling very reasonable on account of ill health; present daily receipts can easily be increased to $30 daily; investigate; biggest bargain ever offered; cash or terms. 714 Wainright Bldg.

BARBER SHOP—For sale; and pool room; apply Sunday, 7310 Thekla av. (c)

BARBER SHOP—Two chairs and mirrors. 3113 Hickory.

BARBER SHOP—Swell; three chairs; good business; $150. Call Sunday afternoon, 2001 Franklin av.

BARBER SHOP—Best 2-chair hot water combination; must sell at once. 4760½ Easton av.

BARBER SHOP—Two-chair combination; good business; corner stand; $175; taken to Frisco, the reason for selling. Box M-113, Post-Dispatch.

BARBER SHOP—Combination fixtures, hot and cold water; watch trade till satisfied. E. L. CASPAR & CO., 722 Chestnut st., room 302.

BARBER SHOP—3 chairs, clearing $50 weekly; must sacrifice; have 2 shops; can't handle both; will stand fullest investigation; call Monday, 2107 Gravois.

BATH-MASSAGE-INSTITUTION—Only 1st-class place in city; 6 years in place; big money maker; must be seen to appreciate; owner retiring. 714 Wainwright Bldg.

BLACKSMITH SHOP—For sale; complete with tools and large warehouse for implement business; also 4-room brick residence in good Illinois town; good business; all clear; owner retiring; $3500; terms on part. C. J. HILL, 318 Chestnut st., room 305.

BOARDING HOUSE—For sale, my large 12-room boarding house. 1611 Missouri.

BOARDING HOUSE—For sale; beautifully furnished; 20 rooms; paying; reasonable; owner leaving city. 3955 Washington.

BOARDING HOUSE—Near Lafayette Park; will sell on easy payments; investigate. E. L. CASPAR & CO., 722 Chestnut st., room 302.

BOARDING HOUSE—Beautiful West End boarding house; 20 rooms; reasonable. E. L. CASPAR & CO., 722 Chestnut st., room 302.

BUSINESS—For sale; a small business established; suitable lady or couple; rooms attached. Box M-255, Post-Dis.

BUSINESS—Established, at about one-half of what it is worth; splendid location; cash trade; good profits; easily managed; either man or lady could handle; live proposition. Call at 513 N. Grand av. (c)

BUSINESSES—For sale; old established general commission and dressed poultry business; good location; lots of room; rent reasonable; will sell cheap; will bear investigation. Box M-166, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS—For sale, well-established general merchandise business in North Montana, in town of 500; stock about $15,000; consists of groceries, men's furnishings, dry goods, hats, caps, shoes; good reason for selling. Sutton Bros., Cascade, Mont. (92)

BUSINESS—Do you want a silent or working interest in the biggest little thing in the mail order line? Used by young and old; costs less than 1c each to make; sells at $1; demand almost unlimited; just the thing for a woman who wants a mail order business; see an interview, write Box G-178, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESSES—For sale, only selected business propositions in and out of city; hardware, auto-vehicle, harness, undertaking establishment, dry goods and merchandise, meat and groceries, saloons, grocery and saloon, pet animal and bird store, 8c. Charles bakery and building, millinery, restaurant; also genuine bargains in good bottom farms and real estate in city. A. ZAPPLE, 4300 Laclede. (c)

CANDY STORE—Fruit, lunch; $75 takes it. 4191 Hickory.

CANDY BUSINESS—The kind that is worth $3000; clearing not less than $150 monthly. MISS JACK EYDMAN, 814 Chemical Bldg.

CANDY AND FRUIT STORE—For sale; opposite city hall; must sell at once; wife sick and fixtures worth $300; will sell for $315; one living room. 1228 Market. (1)

CARD-PRINTING OUTFIT—Type, cabinet and hand-press. 3130 Lucas.

CIGAR STORE—For sale; small; 319 Pine.

CIGAR STORE—Good location; daily business $35 cash. Call Bridge 2748. (7)

CIGAR—Confectionery and bakery branch, in North St. Louis; good location. For information apply 4347 Norfolk av. (7)

CIGAR COUNTER—For sale, with show case; also bootblack stand. 711 N. 6th st., 2d floor.

CIGAR STAND—In first-class office building; reasonable rent; long lease; splendid opportunity; for $1500 cash. Box M-204, P.-D.

CIGAR STORE—$300 downtown.

I'm after a few good stands.

can sell them at a good price.

MISS JACK EYDMAN, 814 Chemical Bldg.

CIGAR STORE—For sale; a live one; on good transfer corner; well stocked; modern fixtures; cheap for cash; leaving city. Box Q-239, Post-Dispatch.

CIGAR STAND.

$200 buys; fully stocked, ready for business; location on Broadway; rent $20 per month; light, heat and phones furnished. Box G-122, Post-Dispatch. (7)

CLEANING AND DYEING ESTABLISHMENT—Good business; leaving town at once. 417 N. Euclid.

CLEANING BUSINESS—I have option on cleaning and dyeing business with club members; established 7 years; must sell at once; no reasonable offer refused; rent paid to Dec. 20; reason for selling. Box Q-244, P.-D.

CLOTH SPECIALTY BUSINESS—Good for Jewish party, income last year, $3000; a snap. E. L. CASPAR & CO., 722 Chestnut st., room 302.

COAL BUSINESS—Fine old stand; $2500. MISS JACK EYDMAN, 814 Chemical Bldg.

COAL AND EXPRESS BUSINESS—For sale; leaving city; must sell. Call 1001 Hickory.

COAL BUSINESS—$2000 cash for coal and cement business; cheap rent; long lease; have other interest; investigate. Box R-5, Post-Dispatch.

COFFEE ROUTE—For sale; good route, located in east St. Louis; inquire 1128 Pine, or Main 1128.

COLLECTION and adjustment agency, long established and clearing $200 monthly; light expense; field unlimited; price $2000, including full office equipment; no experience necessary; fine chance; call.

E. L. CASPAR & CO., 722 Chestnut st., room 302.

CONFECTIONERY—Small grocery, with living room, cheap rent. 3724 Fenrose st.

CONFECTIONERY—Branch bakery and quick lunch. 4968 Page bl. (2)

CONFECTIONERY—Notions, etc., fountain; corner; good neighborhood; best offer buys. 2026 N. 14th.

CONFECTIONERY—Fine chance for candy man with $1200; West End.

MISS JACK EYDMAN, 814 Chemical Bldg.

CONFECTIONERY—Good location; rooms connecting; rent $15; best place in city, for $225 cash. Box M-76, Post-Dispatch.

CONFECTIONERY—For sale; best in city; elegant fixtures and good stock, near school and church. E. L. CASPAR & CO., 722 Chestnut st., room 302.

CONFECTIONERY—For sale; North St. Louis; established 9 years, with 4 living rooms; rent $21; bargain, $250. Apply 2828 N. 16th.

CONFECTIONERY—Lunch room; toys, etc.; new and clean throughout; first-class investment for comfortable, permanent business; will withdraw offer after 8th retaining December business. Box G-229, P.-D.

DRUG STORE—In a small Southeast Missouri county; easy terms. Box G-60, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG STORE—Best located and best paying in city; central, big transfer corner; good trade. Box M-53, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG STORE—A good one; positively guaranteed fine, steady business; need not have all cash. Denver, 1900 O'Fallon. (7)

DRUG STORE—Rusy; established; invoice; cash or terms. Address F. Dean, 3242 Pennsylvania.

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DRUG STORE—Best corner West End; good prescription trade; fixtures worth price asked; stands strictest investigation; will invoice your lump; bargain; owner has other business. 714 Wainwright Bldg.

DRUG STORE—Best prescription trade in city; all books are open for inspection and will stand closest investigation; will sell at invoice price or lump. E. L. CASPAR & CO., 722 Chestnut st., room 302.

DRUG STORE—Physician's practice, established 35 years; best location for a Catholic and German-speaking doctor in Missouri; owner old and sick and wants to retire; $2000 or invoice; will exchange for suburban store. 1434 Menard.

DRY GOODS STORE—Best location in city; get this for holiday trade; will sacrifice to quick buyer; good reasons. 5117 Warne.

DRY GOODS STORE—For sale; South St. Louis established business; will discount; invoice $3500. Box E-120, Post-Dispatch.

DRY GOODS STORE—And fixtures, invoice about $400. 1514 State st., East St. Louis; good reasons for selling.

DRY GOODS STORE—For sale; small stock of dry goods and fixtures; must sell at once; snap. 1832 Missouri av., East St. Louis.

DRY GOODS STORE—West End location; rent $25, price $800 or invoice. Thomas Cull, 2928 Olive.

EGG BUSINESS—Clearing $200 month; $800 to handle. Box G-169, Post-Dispatch. (1)

EXPRESS and hauling business; big sacrifice; must sell, as other business requires all time. E. L. CASPAR & CO., 722 Chestnut st., room 302.

EXPRESS—Coal, ice, South St. Louis; long established; doing well owner must leave city; bought quick $900, worth $500. 714 Wainwright Bldg.

EXPRESS and hauling business; can be bought really at half price; investigate and convince yourself; long established; doing fine business; selling on account of couple sale. 714 Wainwright Bldg.

FAC SIMILE LETTER BUSINESS—Partnership disagreement, reason for sacrifice. E. L. CASPAR & CO., 722 Chestnut st., room 302.

FACTORY—Want cigar salesman to purchase one-half interest in growing factory. Call at 1855 Benton.

FLOUR MILL—75 barrels; roller process; about 50 miles from St. Louis. For details ad C. C. Wilson, 1508 Kennett.

FLOUR MILL—Roller process; 50-barrel capacity, doing a good business; good wheat country, in Indiana; a bargain. Box G-16, Post-Dispatch.

FURNITURE STORE—For sale; in 19-room hotel; rent $25 month; modern. Theo. E. Richard, Litchfield, Ill.

FURNITURE STORE—For sale or trade; good business; corner stand; $175; taken to Frisco, the reason for selling. Box M-113, Post-Dispatch.

FURNITURE STORE—Secondhand; will sacrifice; must leave city; act immediately; sell in bulk or sell piece by piece; best location. 714 Wainwright Bldg.

GARAGE—And repair shop, tools, etc.; about 10 miles from St. Louis, on the Illinois Traction System and Big Four Railroad; selling on account of my partner's death. For information, call or write Gillespie Garage, Edwardsville, Ill. J. Schumacher.

GENERAL MERCHANDISE STORE—Fine location; near St. Louis; will invoice stock; this is a good paying business and will stand closest investigation. E. L. CASPAR & CO., 722 Chestnut st., room 302.

GROCERY AND MEAT MARKET—Clean stock; $500 buys it.

GROCERY STORE—For sale; good; on Olive street; invoice $700. Box E-121, P.-D.

GROCERY AND SALOON—For sale; good-paying. Inquire 4101 Nebraska.

GROCERY—And meat market, West End location. Call at residence, 1729 S. 18th.

GROCERY—And meat market; corner location; daily sales, $85. Box R-198, P.-D.

GROCERY—Fine old stand; $2500.

GROCERY—And meat market; new stock; new fixtures; doing mostly cash business; rent and store can be used for saloon; this is a splendid chance; no other saloon thickly settled neighborhood. Box G-71, will invoice; bargain. West End location; Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—Large, old established wholesale grocery business in Charleroi, Pa.

HAIR DRESSING PARLORS—Good business; reason for sale, operation of law; lady and teach business. Box G-82, Post-Dispatch.

HARDWARE STORE—For sale, and variety. 1700 Park.

HARDWARE BUSINESS—Profitable; will take real estate for part. Box G-125, Post-Dispatch.

HARDWARE STORE—For sale, stock and fixtures; good location; good business; will sell cheap; will bear investigation. Box M-191, Post-Dispatch.

HARDWARE STORE—Corner, South St. Louis, 11 years established; $6000 yearly business; auto truck delivery; account of other business; very reasonable; will consider exchange income property. 714 Wainright Bldg. (62)

HOTEL—For sale; Arcade; 9 rooms; all transient trade. 1727 Market.

HOTEL—Modern equipment; 35 rooms; corner location; good bargain for cash. Box R-103, Post-Dispatch.

HOTEL—14 rooms; good, small town, 75 miles St. Louis; railroad and State highway; good business; $3250; half down, on large lot worth the money. Box K-87, P.-D.

JEWELRY AND OPTICIAN BUSINESS—Best West End transfer corner; big sacrifice. E. L. CASPAR & CO., 722 Chestnut st., room 302.

JOB PRINTING OUTFIT—FOR SALE; EASY TERMS; BEST SCHOOL TOWN IN MISSOURI. PETREE BROS., KIRKSVILLE, MO.

LIVERY BUSINESS—Good paying boarding and livery business, on account of death. Telephone Central 431.

LUNCHROOM—Rent $5; best offer takes it. cheap. Third and Miller. (7)

LUNCHROOM AND RESTAURANT—Handle cash till satisfied with business. E. L. CASPAR & CO., 722 Chestnut st., room 302.

LUNCHROOM—$150 buys the only lunch room in Luxemburg. See me Sunday. 1239 Lemay Ferry rd.

LUNCHROOM—And restaurant; fine business; a fortune for right party. 205 N. 15th st.

LUNCH STAND—1007 S. Jefferson; call between 9 and 11 o'clock.

MANUFACTURING PLANT—For sale or trade; owner has other business reason for selling; money maker for right man; white for full particulars. Springdale Supply Co., Springdale, Ark.

MANUFACTURING CONCERN—Awnings, tents; $20,000 yearly; 50 per cent net profit; voluntary; rush; stock, patent rights far above price asked; business compels owners sacrifice. 714 Wainwright Bldg.

MEAT MARKET—1434 St. Ange av.

MEAT MARKET AND GROCERY—Cash business, no agents. Box G-70, Post-Dis.

MEAT MARKET, VEGETABLES—Excellent stand, well-paying; none better for the money; sacrifice account leaving city; make offer. 714 Wainwright Bldg.

MEAT AND VEGETABLE MARKET—For sale; good location; cheap rent; a snap if taken at once; call Cabany 664 or Delmar 2940R.

MEAT MARKET—Good stand, in growing neighborhood; rent $20; fixtures included; average daily sales, $40; $150 and invoice. Box R-39, Post-Dispatch.

MEDICINE BUSINESS—Reliable, gilt-edged; good cash opening to right party; investigate. 814 N. Jefferson av.

MILLINERY—For sale; established business of 16 years. Owner retiring. 2200 Warren.

MILLINERY—Beautiful fixtures; good stock; must sacrifice at once account sickness.

E. L. CASPAR & CO., 722 Chestnut st., room 302.

MILLINERY—Best location, West End; long established; well known; will sacrifice to quick buyer; good reason for selling; absolutely no risk guaranteed; call today. 714 Wainwright Bldg.

MILLINERY STORE—Up-to-date fixtures, beautiful showroom and window; in fact, everything needed in a well-equipped store; plenty living room; good light; located on one of the best avenues in city; reasonable; don't answer unless you mean business. Box G-75, Post-Dispatch.

NEWSPAPER—Well established daily paper in town of 18,000; only 2 papers; good advertising patronage; well equipped plant; no new machinery needed; best reason for selling; price $25,000; would accept small town daily, farm or real estate in exchange; good rental to responsible parties. Box J-11, Post-Dispatch.

NOTION STORE—Cigars, tobacco, candies, etc.; rent $15; two living rooms; price $250. 2928 Olive.

ODEON—For sale; must be sold this week; investigate. EBBELER REALTY CO., 2300 Chouteau av.

OLIVE, 2747—Furnished first-class rooming house, all modern conveniences; good paying opportunity; must sacrifice; selling account of sickness. For further information investigate.

PAPER ROUTE—Evening; Post and Star; 600 circulation; must be sold at once. Box G-232, Post-Dispatch.

PAPER ROUTE—For sale, in city of 7000 population; 900 daily papers; 1100 Sundays; will sell reasonable. Address F. J. Long, Brookfield, Mo.

PARCEL DELIVERY BUSINESS—With or without equipment. Bridge 2635W, St. Clair 1625L.

POOL ROOM—407 S. 14th st. (7)

POOL HALL—2911 Olive st.; place making money; last chance to buy; will sacrifice.

POOL ROOM—For sale; 4 tables, cheap; sick. 2714 Gravois.

POOLROOM—4 tables; cheap; like new. Box G-150, Post-Dispatch.

POOLROOM—A bargain, or will trade for lot. EBBELER REALTY CO., 2300 Chouteau.

POOL HALL—Old established, 5 tables; bargain; have other business. Box M-94, Post-Dispatch.

POOLROOM—5 tables; good business; want to sell on account of sickness; price $600. A. J. Richardson, Dixon, Mo.

PRINTING PLANT—For sale; excellent trade; cheap if sold at once; reason for selling, sickness. Box R-254, Post-Dispatch.

PRINTING PLANT—Worth $4000—Will be sold at 60c on the dollar; reason, partnership; good location and good trade. Box M-210, Post-Dispatch.

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PRINTING PLANT—Old established; worth $3000; owner wishes to retire; the price is $1000; part cash, balance easy terms. 2608 Olive.

PRINTING PLANT—8 stands, type new; paper cutter, 14½x22, new series C. & P. Gordon; 14½x22 old series C. & P. Gordon; 10x15 Challenge Gordon; 8x12 C. & P. Gordon; sell whole or part, on terms. Box A-12, Post-Dispatch.

PRINTING CONCERN—Old-established; doing $10,000 yearly; fine machinery equipment; location downtown; will sacrifice account other business. 714 Wainwright Bldg.

PRINTING PLANT—Small; good location; ship with good business man; references. 714 Wainwright Bldg.

RESTAURANT—For sale; well established carpenter, jobbing and general repair shop; also painting business, on account of sickness. Box M-61, Post-Dispatch.

RESTAURANT—1523 N. Jefferson.

RESTAURANT—At a bargain. Call at 813 Victorio Bldg., Monday morning.

RESTAURANT—For sale or rent, 2949 Easton av.

RESTAURANT—Wholesale and manufacturing district; just the place for a man and wife; no agents. Box K-210, Post-Dispatch.

RESTAURANT—For sale; first-class; very good location; fixtures all new; location very good. Box M-139, Post-Dispatch.

RESTAURANT—For sale, completely furnished restaurant and lunch counter; reasonable price. 2908 Olive.

RESTAURANT—The best in South St. Louis; selling account of age; want to retire. Box M-36, Post-Dispatch.

RESTAURANT—Income $100 day and better; equipment near $4000.

MISS JACK EYDMAN, 814 Chemical Bldg.

RESTAURANT—For sale; downtown, fine trade; will exchange for real estate, city or farm land; no agent. Box M-101, P.-D.

RESTAURANT—For sale or rent; all fixtures; 3 months' deal before buying; center location. Box R-94, Post-Dispatch.

RESTAURANT—For sale; old-established, on Chouteau line; taking $20 per day; or will exchange for rooming house. Box R-250, Post-Dispatch.

RESTAURANT—For sale; good paying, in East St. Louis; price right; reason for selling, other interests out of city. Box R-11, Post-Dispatch. (92)

RESTAURANT—For sale, and lunch room; doing a fine business; owner on account of health; best small town in state; doing good steady business. L. L. Lane, Monroe City, Ill.

THE Earle Cleaning, Dyeing and Repairing Tailor Shop; prompt attention given. 2701 Washington.

TIN SHOP—For sale; call Victor 3150R for particulars.

VARIETY STORE—Near transfer corner; must sell; owner leaving the city. 2854 Lucas.

VARIETY and millinery store; best in town; sacrifice for cash sale; investigate.

E. L. CASPAR & CO., 722 Chestnut st., room 302.

VARIETY STORE—If you want good-paying place, investigate immediately; $25 rent, including living rooms, hall, light; best offer takes it; owner going to Texas; sacrifice. 714 Wainwright Bldg.

WALL PAPER STORE—Established 13 years; good location; leaving city. Box K-209, Post-Dispatch.

WATCHMAKER'S OFFICE—Average repairs, $240 month. Box G-162, Post-Dis. (1)

WOODWORKING MACHINERY — Established manufacturing concern, for sale below value; tremendous returns guaranteed; on security; exchange taken in payment. 714 Wainwright Bldg.

RARE CHANCE.

I have a first-class variety store of 5-10-25c articles for sale; established for 3 years and a good paying business in a city of 12,000 population; no competition and plenty of factory work; owner wishes to retire from practical business. Box J-14, Post-Dis.

For Sale-Wanted

Solid seats, 10c line, except automobiles, bicycles, boats, cameras, musical instruments, stock and other features. The 1-line minimum. 2 lines.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

ADDING MACHINE—For sale; Dalton; in good condition; reasonable. Box W-208, Post-Dispatch. (1)

ADDING MACHINE—For sale; visible totals, large capacity, first-class condition; cash only. Box G-123, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS FOR SALE

ROOMING HOUSE—10 rooms; bargain if sold immediately. 4166 Delmar. Main 6444.

ROOMING HOUSE—12 rooms; first-class; keeping; income $225; price $600. 2928 Olive st. (62)

ROOMING HOUSE—25 rooms; steam heat; rent $90; terms; bargain. 3416 Washington.

ROOMING HOUSE—six nicely furnished rooms; 3 rooms rented; bargain if sold this week. 912 Aubert.

ROOMING HOUSE—11 rooms; $150 down, balance monthly. 8512 Washington. Central 9250R.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale or rent, 10 rooms; new, modern; shades, gas range. 2943 Pinemont.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, 10 rooms, always full; a bargain; leaving city. 2620 Washington.

ROOMING HOUSE—Newly furnished; best district in city; leaving city. 3567 Delmar bl.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale; 930 N. Broadway, 10 rooms, reasonable; phone Lindell 633.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale; 8 rooms; housekeeping or furnished complete; leaving city. 3727 Finney av.

ROOMING HOUSE—A good paying rooming house, 9 rooms well furnished; full of roomers; best location in St. Louis; will sell very cheap. Thompson, 1615 Locust.

ROOMING HOUSE—11 rooms, furnace heat; rent, 2 vacancies; $350; $200 down, balance time payments; also cottage in Ferguson. Lindell 1340R.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale; $100 cash, balance on very easy terms; biggest bargain.

E. L. CASPAR & CO., 722 Chestnut st., room 302.

ROOMING HOUSE—High-class cost $3200; sickness compels us to make big sacrifice. Other nice houses.

MISS JACK EYDMAN, 814 Chemical Bldg.

ROOMING HOUSE—12 rooms; Delmar bl.; first-class; $400; clearing $70 above expenses; $200 cash handles. Inquire 3213 Washington.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale; have three; my housekeepers I depended on going to Mexico; must sell this week; rent $35; every room full; cash or terms. 4189 Washington.

ROOMING HOUSES—If you want to buy a good-paying, well-established place, see me before buying. THOMAS CULL, 2928 Olive st.

ROOMING HOUSE—Fine place for widow with daughters for boarding house; $200 cash, balance payments; must sell this week; cheap. 4006 Olive.

ROOMING HOUSES—Boarding if desired; 10 rooms, always rented; $100 cash; $25 per month buys it; excellently furnished; investigate; undoubtedly greatest bargain ever offered; rush. 714 Wainwright Bldg.

ROOMING HOUSE—Olive st.; all transient trade; 11 rooms, bath, reception hall, hot and cold running water in every room; steam heat and electric light furnished.

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ROOMING HOUSE—All large, light rooms; filled with good paying roomers; furniture as good as new; beautiful home; must be seen to be appreciated.

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SALOON—Address Box No. 52, Prairie du Rocher, Ill.

SALOON—For sale; best business in city; invoice; a bargain. Box G-142, P.-D.

SALOON—For sale; old established stand; small stock; cheap. Box M-218, P.-D.

SALOON—For sale; good location; on Oscar Sontag at National Brewery, 9 a. m., 18th and Gratiot.

SALOONS—Good, established places, $450 to $1000. $2300, $4000. THOMAS CULL, 2928 Olive.

SALOON—Established corner; daily sales $60 to $75; price $900. THOMAS CULL, 2928 Olive. (58x)

SALOON—For sale; old established; near Union Station; Hyde Park beer. Apply at Wainwright Brewery.

SALOON—For sale; good paying; centrally located.

FULDNER R. E. CO., 14 N. Eighth st.

SALOON—And cafe; old established corner; daily sales $45 to $70; price $2700. 2928 Olive. (62)

SALOON—Downtown, first-class; daily receipts $100; excellent whisky trade; $1000 stock guaranteed; retires from business; very reasonable. 714 Wainwright Bldg.

SALOON—One-half interest; old established; transfer corner; fine whisky trade; good reason for selling. THOMAS CULL, 2928 Olive. Bomont 1172. (1)

SALOON—In connection with hotel; doing good business; reason for selling bar, have two hotels to look after; a bargain for small investment. Box G-246, Post-Dispatch.

SALOON—Corner; first-class location; daily receipts $30; rent $50, including

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PRODUCE AND PROVISIONS

See Page 1 of this section "Farm to Table."

FEED—Hay, grain; reliable goods; prompt delivery anywhere; let me supply you; write or phone me today. Chas. H. Mayer, grain, Stih and Case; Tyler 2067, Central 3111. (c28)

MIXED CARS A SPECIALTY

Corn, oats, Purity brand of horses, dairy and poultry feeds, grass, etc. Prices forever low and true to name on all orders.

GREAT WESTERN FEED CO.

Missouri Pacific tracks and Chouteau av., St. Louis, Mo. (c29)

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

CASH REGISTERS Wtd.—Best price paid. Nelson, 215 S. 14th; Central 42IR. Nelson, 215 S. 14th; Central 42IR. (c14)

CASH REGISTER Wtd.—To rent, for one month; must have figures 1c to $1. Box K-1, Post-Dispatch.

CASE-OFF CLOTHING Wtd.—Will pay the highest prices. Rosenfeld, 2028 Market st. Phone Olive 4251 or call at store. (c6)

CHAIRS Wtd.—100; must be buy; must be cheap. Box K-10, Post-Dispatch.

CITY DIRECTORY Wtd.—Second, for 1913. Box G-212, Post-Dispatch.

CLOTHING—Cast-off, bought; men's suits, shoes, ladies' silks; your own price. Olive 2259W, Central 2508L. Banks, 1407 Biddle st.

CLOTHING Wtd.—Joe Geiler needs $00 overcoats, ladies' or gents' summer or winter clothes for shipment; pays $4 to $6 a suit; Kinloch, Central 3L. (c6) Fair phone; will call at once. (c6)

FURNACE Wtd.—For 5 rooms, must be in good condition. 4708 Sacramento; Col 1006, like electric. Dawson Polishing Co., 1120 S. 4th st.

HAIRDRYER Wtd.—Hallwell preferred. Grand 4886. (c)

KINDLING WOOD Wtd.—Good sized load of dry kindling wood. 4 Shaw pl.

MIRROR Wtd.—About 6 feet high; also table; give dimensions. Box M-311, P.-D.

PLUMBING FIXTURES Wtd.—Bath, sink, lavatory and what have you? Victor 2640L; Sidney 2180. (c)

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BARGAINS in evening and street dresses, highest prices paid for cast-off clothing, 607 Delmar av.; Olive 2543, Central 6711L. (c55)

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HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—Contents of house; flats. Hoff Bros. Furniture Co., 2013 Garfield. Delmar 596, Forest 4265. (c)

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HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—Furniture carpets, stoves, etc. Central 1572, Bomont 2016 Easton. Central 1572, Bomont 2016. (f)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—Highest cash prices paid for household furniture. Central 5861, Bomont 206. Rasmussen, 1926 Morgan. (c)

MATTRESSES Wtd.—Folding feather mattresses, made out of old feathers; highest prices paid for feathers. Prettyman Upholstering Co., 1519 N. Grand; Delmar 8758, Lindell 2004. (1)

ABSOLUTELY highest price paid for household goods; storage, packing, moving. Central 1572, Bomont 22. Central 1572, Stock-ton Price Storage and Auction Co., 1024 Franklin av.

ALL kinds of furniture, carpets and feather beds for shipments to Fresno; price no object; notify Dansch, 3503 Delmar blvd. Delmar 3626, Forest 5020. (c)

BEDS—Brass, iron; new; bargains; also second-hand; will buy or exchange. Kinloch, Central 3L; Delmar 9838. (c)

BRASS BED—For sale; dresser, chiffonier; other furniture; like new; no dealers. 1412 N. Newstead.

BUFFET—For sale, golden oak, leaded glass. $20; cost $50. 3618 Laclede. (c)

CABINET—For sale; oak, with 40 glass front drawers, cheap; also wardrobe. 3444 Walnut.

CARPETS—For sale; two, large, Axminster, green; almost new; two Wilson hot-blast heaters, used one winter; cheap. 2321 Lee.

CHIFFONIER—For sale; large, 144 mirror, 5 piece; covers space 20 feet by 40 feet; Brass sofa; nice and clean; green; can be used for parlor; half cost for 40c per yard. Levy Bros., 311-13-15 S. 14th st.

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HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—Contents of house; flats. Hoff Bros. Furniture Co., 2013 Garfield. Delmar 596, Forest 4265. (c)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—Highest price paid. Kinloch, Central 3L; Delmar 9838. (c)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—Furniture carpets, stoves, etc. Central 1572, Bomont 2016 Easton. Central 1572, Bomont 2016. (f)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—Highest cash prices paid for household furniture. Central 5861, Bomont 206. Rasmussen, 1926 Morgan. (c)

MATTRESSES Wtd.—Folding feather mattresses, made out of old feathers; highest prices paid for feathers. Prettyman Upholstering Co., 1519 N. Grand; Delmar 8758, Lindell 2004. (1)

ABSOLUTELY highest price paid for household goods; storage, packing, moving. Central 1572, Bomont 22. Central 1572, Stockton Price Storage and Auction Co., 1024 Franklin av.

ALL kinds of furniture, carpets and feather beds for shipments to Fresno; price no object; notify Dansch, 3503 Delmar blvd. Delmar 3626, Forest 5020. (c)

BARGAINS in evening and street dresses, highest prices paid for cast-off clothing, 607 Delmar av.; Olive 2543, Central 6711L. (c55)

CASH paid for diamonds, old gold, silver, platinum. H. Kinsel, 27 N. Broadway; Garfield 1174. (c29)

HIGH-CLASS watch and clock repairing; we can save you money on your work; all work guaranteed. Kinsel, 27 N. Broadway; Garfield 1174. (c29)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE

BED—For sale, oak child's bed, one Morris chair; cost $15; selling $5. 4017 Fulton.

GAS RANGE—For sale; Quick Meal; cheap. 5211 Rhodes av. (c)

GAS RANGE—For sale; in good condition; cheap. Phone Benton 3418L.

GAS STOVE—For sale; 3-burner gas hot-water heater. Apply at 1518A Arlington av.

GAS RADIATOR—For sale; 4 flues; good as new; $7. 3457 Texas.

GAS HEATER—For sale; brand new, with 35 feet tubing; cheap. 3618 West Park; Marshall 1425L.

HEATER—For sale, Garland, $18; also gas range; no dealers; call Monday. 4055 Olive.

HEATING STOVE—For sale; call any time. T. Cerles, 4423 North Market.

HEATER—For sale; Moore's; first-class condition; cheap. 4903 Garner av.

HEATER—For sale, Bridge & Beach; air-tight; almost new; $6. 3312 Theodosia.

HEATER—For sale; large size, soft coal; good as new. 1610A Semple.

HEATER—For sale; Moore's airtight; used 1 winter; $10. 5414 Wells.

HEATER—For sale; nicely nickeled; good as new; will deliver; $3.50. 2821 Geyer, (c)

HEATER—For sale; Ridge & Beach; air-tight; almost new; cheap. 3917 Oregon.

HEATER—For sale; Buck's hard coal; very cheap; cost $35. Russell, 6900 West Park.

HEATING STOVE—For sale; good; only $4. 4400 N. 10th.

HEATING STOVE—For sale; like new; cheap. 3168 Iowa. (1)

HEATER—For sale; Buck's; nicely nickeled; fine condition; will deliver; $10. 1826 Oregon.

HEATER—For sale, good water heater and tank and large size icebox; also 4-hole gas range, $15 N. Theresa av., J. H. Blythe.

HEATER—For sale; used only one season; account of moving; no dealers. 4520A Chouteau.

HEATER—For sale; medium size Janus oak; good condition; $6, delivered. 1001 Park.

HEATER—For sale, Charter Oak, 6-ft. table, iron bed, good condition. 4008A McPherson av.

HEATERS—For sale; we have on hand a fine lot of heating stoves of all makes and sizes; we sell them, $7 up. 2821 Franklin. (c)

HEATING STOVE—For sale; soft coal; hot blast; in perfect condition. Call Lindell 3780.

HEATERS—For sale, two, fine; range, parlor suite, folding bed. 1418 Rowan; Wellston car.

HEATERS—For sale, of all kinds, any make; any size; at any price. Kelner's, 215 S. 14th st. (c)

HEATER—For sale; Radiant Home; soft coal; good for saloon or hall. 3616 N. 11th.

HEATERS—All kinds, soft and hard coal, best make Radiant Home, Jewel, Art Garland, Bucks' Superior airtight, Moore's airtight heaters, from $8 up; all stoves are in fine condition, almost new; guaranteed; we put up free and deliver to any part of the city; we have the largest stock of stoves in the city, where you can see what you buy. Levy Bros., 311-13-15 S. 14th st.

HEATERS—Malls, $3 each; in good order; hard coal heaters, all makes; cook stoves, for laundry or cooking, guaranteed, $4 up; laundry stoves, $5 up; range stoves, $6 up; our ranges are in first-class order, guaranteed to bake; dressers, $4 up; oak washstands, $3; sideboards, $5 up; china closets, $5; safes, $3; kitchen cabinets, $4 up; nice ice rockers, from 75c up; chairs, 35c; extension tables, $4; 50c iron bed, $4; single bed slats, and clean cotton-top mattress, $4 complete; center tables, 50c up; wardrobes, $5 up; mantel folding beds, $10; mirror tops; fine china closets, round pedestal extension tables, leather chairs, dishes, cooking utensils and the place to get them all, first floor. Don't forget the number. Everything kept in sanitary condition; big lot to pick from; delivered free to any part of the city; packed ready for out-of-town buyers. We sell wholesale to dealers. We sell for cash to everybody and don't be surprised if you don't find us here. Stands to reason, our prices are so low and our dealing is fair. What we sell we deliver at once. Secondhand Store, 1400 S. Main st. only. You not only find old-style furniture, but many up-to-date pieces at 25c on the dollar. Levy Bros., 311-13-15 S. 14th st. Open south from Clark av. Open evenings. Belefontaine or 18th st. and Tower Grove or Gravois cars pass our door.

HIGH CHAIR—For sale; child's oak; when down makes rocker; shoo-fly, with coat hook; worth $8; sell for $3; also settee, folds out; all practically new; will sell very cheap; call evenings or Sunday. 4021 Lindell.

HOT WATER HEATERS—Second-hand gas fixtures; for sale, cheap. 6204A Page.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale; portieres, 2 pairs; lined, brown velvet suit, $8; Cabany 1101M. 2621 Maple.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale; beds, sideboard, tables, rugs, range, etc. 2615 Montgomery st.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale; 2000 Morgan, commencing 10:30; big sale of household goods of every description; 10 large storage lots. Oliver Hast Auction Co., 2009 Morgan.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale; large stock to select from; everything to the home; Brussels rugs, $12.50; velvet and tapestry rugs, $8.25; dressers, $3.75; washstand, 50c; round pedestal dining tables, $6; sideboards, $5; heaters, $3; warranted; heating stoves, $3; ranges, $6; everything to furnish the home cheap for spot cash. Oliver Hast Auction Co., 2009 Morgan. (c)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale; big sale; for storage charges beginning Dec. 1, bargains in heaters, ranges, cook stoves, laundry stoves, gas logs, all kinds; rugs and carpets; carloads of brass beds, wardrobes, kitchen safes, dressers and washstands, tables, chairs, laundry stoves, iron and folding beds, tables, rockers, parlor sets and walnut bedroom sets, for sale at half price, at 2132-34 Franklin av., Leo Brasch Housefurnishing Co. (c)

ICE BOX—For sale, cheap; Alpine make; 4-tub. 3806 N. Grand.

ICE BOX—For sale; 1 White Frost metal ice box, good as new, $8. Cabany 3250, 5889 Von Versen.

IRON BEDS—For sale, 2 iron beds and gas stove. 4016A Kensington.

IRON BED—For sale; fancy; hot water gas heater, 12 yards new Japanese matting. 3916 Shaw.

IRON BEDS—For sale, two; springs, mattress, dresser, gas radiator; cost $50; will sell cheap. Kinloch Victor 2356R. 2631 St. Vincent.

KITCHEN CABINET—For sale, McDougall, splendid condition; only $5; vacuum cleaner as good as new, $3. 3231 Oregon av.

LACE CURTAINS—Direct from factory; sold on small weekly payments. Call Central 1834L or send postal; will call with samples. St. Louis Lace Curtain Co., 4127 Clay av. (c)

LAMP—For sale, beautiful gas library lamp; reasonable; call Sunday or Monday. 5047 Terry.

LIBRARY SET—For sale; mission; standard sewing machine, couch and other furniture. 726 Bayard.

PARLOR SUITE—For sale; green plush; no dealers. 3522A Utah.

PARLOR SET—For sale, fine 3-piece leather parlor set, mahogany, $25, cost $80. 3615 Laclede.

PARLOR SUIT—For sale; genuine leather 5-piece mahogany frame; newly upholstered; will sell for charges. J. Beckstedt Upholstering Co., 3008 Park; Kinloch, Central 3L.

PARLOR FURNITURE—Massive mahogany suite, rockers, library table, bookcase, piano; oak davenport, rockers, table, oil paintings, rugs, draperies; cheap. 4162 McPherson.

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PARLOR SUITS—Elegant leather-covered 5-piece mahogany, $15 each.

Dressers—Oak, with plate glass, from $5 to $8, each.

Library Tables—Mahogany and oak, from $6.50 to $7 each.

Chiffoniers—From $5 to $7.50 each.

Iron Beds—At one-half of regular prices.

Toilet Sets—Consisting of bowl, pitcher and jar, at $1.25 per set.

Carpets—Brussels, 60c per yard.

Broome Bros. warehouse, $2.50 per dozen, or 35c each.

WM. G. WILLARD, 318 Chestnut st.

PIANO—For sale; $500 for $195; also several trunks; need money; quick bargain; call Sunday. 2720 Park.

RADIATOR—For sale, large hot-water radiator, gas water heater, $5.50; vacuum cleaner. 2847 Washington.

RANGE—For sale; kitchen. 4188 Cook.

RANGE—For sale; Majestic, with hot-water attachment; good condition. 3051 Sullivan.

RANGE—For sale, new; $80 Champion gas and coal; $40. 5070 Theodosia.

RANGE—For sale; 6-hole; Charter Oak; cheap. 2585 Flad av.

RANGE—For sale; Quick Meal; also sanitary iron folding couch. 5979 Ridge.

RANGE—For sale, Quick Meal coal range, cheap, $12. 5345A Wells av.

RANGE—For sale; on legs; fine order; nickel like new. $14. 1824 Cleveland.

RANGE—For sale, 6-hole Quick Meal coal range, a bargain. 4120 Cleveland. (c)

RANGE—For sale, Buck's; cheap; can call Sunday. 1016 Cora.

RANGE—For sale, Quick Meal combination coal and gas range, with water back, like new. 1334 Chouteau av.

RANGE—For sale, 6-hole range, with reservoir; fine baker; also gas range. 2647 Washington bl.

RANGE—For sale, water back, good condition, at sacrifice; leaving town. 4446 Labadie.

RANGE—For sale, Detroit Jewel, with reservoir; like new; $15.00. 1a Fl. (c)

RANGE—For sale, fine gas range; cost $60; price $10; leaving city. 3618 Westminster place.

RANGE—For sale, with good water back; Buck's; $10; also cannon and 2-hole laundry stove; no dealers. 3123 Olive.

RANGE—For sale; 6-hole; Home Comfort, cheap; good condition; hot-water connection, one fixer av.

RANGE—For sale; Majestic gas range, hardly used. 3734 Cook av.

RANGE—For sale; Real Estate; nice-looking; nickeled; slightly used; $13; will deliver. 1001 Park.

RANGE—For sale; steel; wardrobe, rug, center table, stair carpet, etc.; call today. 3941 Virginia.

COOK STOVE—For sale; good order; good baker; $5. 2821 Geyer. (c)

COOK STOVE—For sale, $4.50; heater, $2; mantel folding bed, sideboard, buffet, chiffonier, settee, $10. 2510 N. Broadway.

CURIO CABINET—For sale; beautiful parlor curio cabinet; cost $60; nearly new; $18. 3515 Juniata.

DAVENPORT—For sale; Kendall; cheap. 4100A Russell av.

DAVENPORT—For sale, mahogany leather-covered, 3525 Grace av.

DAVENPORT—For sale, mahogany, with mattress, almost new; price $18. 1483 Goodfellow.

DAVENPORT—For sale; 1; extension table, sewing machine, rug, Wilson heater, coal range. 4210 Easton.

DAVENETTE—Genuine quartered oak, leather upholstered; also entire furnishings of apartment; cheap. 4162 McPherson.

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DINING TABLE—For sale; elegant square, golden oak; a bargain. 4622 Labadie av.

DINING ROOM SET—For sale, and one china closet. 4508 West Belle terrace; no dealers.

DINING FURNITURE—Beautiful Early English buffet, china cabinet, extension table, chairs; cheap. 4016 McPherson.

DINING FURNITURE—Almost new; handsome dining set, 10 pieces, all to match; will sell part or all together, at cheap; we must get rid of some to make room; some one fortunate will get a bargain. 4213 Washington bl.

DRESSERS, wardrobes, brass beds, cook stoves, bachelor washstands, kitchen cupboards, pedestal tables, most everything for housekeeping; slightly used, at less than half what they cost new; you would cost you nothing for utensils; will sell at very low prices. A call will convince you how nice, clean stock we have. Open evenings. 2211 S. 14th; Central 4216. (c14)

FURNITURE—For sale; saving money is something everybody wants; in case it is, if you only give us a trial; our place is the cheapest in the city; we have dressers as low as $2.90; washstands, $2.50; iron beds, 75c; springs, 75c; sideboards, $3.50; wardrobes, $4; glass door safes, $3; chairs, 35c; rockers, 75c; dining tables, $2.50; center tables, 75c; sanitary couches, $1.50; kitchen tables, 50c; chiffoniers, with mirrors, $4; mattresses, $1; cook stoves, $5 up; laundry stoves, $2; everything to furnish the house complete; you can't afford to miss Maher's, 1400 S. 14th st., two doors north of Clark; walk north on 14th st.

FURNITURE—For sale; a clearing sale we will all remember, starting Monday and lasting 15 days; we have got to carry over many goods into the new year. A few of our many bargains: Upright folding bed, $12; 2-piece plate mirror, $6; full-size iron bed, with best woven wire spring, $4.50; bedroom suite consisting of dresser, washstand and bed, $15; leather seat rocker, with woven wire springs, 75c; odd upholstered seat parlor chairs, $3.50; odd parlor settees, $5; 9x12 Axminster carpet, good as new, $7; bed, $6; solid oak extension table, $3.85; wood-seat brace-arm chairs, 50c; sanitary couches, $1.50; parlor suites, $15; golden oak dressers, $7.50; upholstered in mohair, $17.50; upholstered in leather, $22.50; cash range, $15.50; kitchen cabinets, $3.50; cash range, $15.50; kitchen cabinets, $3.50; cash range, $15.50; kitchen cabinets, $3

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AUTOMOBILE Wtd.—Or good motor cycle, in exchange for new aeroplane of standard type. Sidney 1324W.
AUTOMOBILE Wtd.—Good roadster or light car for city use; will rent by week or month or buy if satisfied. Box W-265, P.-D.
AUTOMOBILES Wtd.—To sell; we have calls every day for good used cars; we can sell yours; learn our plan. 4274 Easton. (c)
AUTOMOBILE Wtd.—To buy; runabout; part cash, balance monthly payments or plumbing work; phone Delmar 1857L. (c)
AUTOMOBILE Wtd.—In exchange for good income property in St. Louis; must be in good condition. Box M-34, Post-Dispatch.
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AUTO TRUCK—For sale 1-ton; will demonstrate. Bridge 2635W, St. Clair 1626L.
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AUTOMOBILE—For sale; 5-passenger touring car in good condition; call between 11 and 2 o'clock. 2347 E. Jefferson.
AUTOMOBILE—For sale; Pullman; fully equipped; $556. Call Sunday, 10 to -. 116 Robert av.
AUTOMOBILE—For sale; Ford model "T" runabout; like new; bargain; $250. Central 7-pass. touring car for exchange or sale, 7-passenger touring car for smaller car. 3264 Shaw av.
AUTOMOBILE—For sale, one 1913 5-passenger Cole, mechanically perfect, and completely equipped; $1100. 4488 Laclede. (c)
AUTOMOBILE BODY—For sale; Ford roadster body, with top, new, never used, reasonable. Delmar 3542X.
AUTOMOBILE—For sale, 1912 Olds undercut 7-passenger; splendid condition; a big bargain. Box R-297, Post-Dispatch.
AUTOMOBILE—For sale, one 1911 5-passenger Moon, mechanically perfect and completely equipped; $500. 4488 Laclede. (c)
AUTOMOBILE—For sale, single-cylinder Cadillac; good running shape; $45. Busy Bee, 4455 Manchester.
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DEED OF TRUST Wtd.—To trade, fine 1913 5-passenger car, like new, for second deed of trust or high-class equity, with owner only. Box M-208, Post-Dispatch.
DELIVERY WAGON—For sale; light; in excellent condition; cost $1500; price now $400. Box R-83, Post-Dispatch. (c)
ELECTRIC COUPE—For sale; in perfect condition; will sacrifice for $800. Phone Lindell 4905.
ENGINES—For sale, 35-horsepower Columbia, 1912 4-cylinder, with carburetor, magneto, clutch and inclosed valve, $125 for quick sale; call morning. 3521 Shenandoah av.
RUPMOBILE—For sale, coupe, newly painted, new tires, in excellent condition. Box R-14, Post-Dispatch. (c99)
LANDAULET BODY—For sale, 4919 Washington bl.
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LIMOUSINE—For sale; aluminum body; 6 or 7 passenger; richly upholstered; electric dome; standard size. Wm. T. Dowdall, 761 Union.
MAGNETO COIL—For sale; Splitdorf; new $15 takes it. Motors Clearing House, 1516 Locust st.
MITCHELL touring car, complete $350
Maxwell roadster, like new 400
Jackson touring car, repainted 275
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Mitchell, 5-pass., 4-cyl., 1912, 50 h. p..... 900
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ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Working girl wants room and board in respectable family; no portal. Miss Louise, 1317 St. Ange.

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ROOM AND BOARD—Wanted, couple to board owner for use of 3 rooms; heat, water. Box M-134, Post-Dispatch.

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3966 Cates, 7 rooms, 2d floor $65 00
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CHAS. H. CARTER, 722 Chestnut, suite 809.

CAROLINE, 3514—Cottage, 4 rooms, good condition; reasonable. (1)

CAROLINE, 3917—Detached brick cottage; gas, bath, $16; water paid; sashes hauled open.

CATALPA, 6235 (block per Easton)—Cottage, 5 rooms, water in kitchen; newly papered; $9.

CHOUTEAU, 3114-18—6 nice rooms, newly decorated; only $15.
OREGON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 617 Chestnut st.

CLARA, 1435—Nine rooms; furnace; rent reduced; being put in first-class condition.
M. B. O'REILLY R. E. & I. CO., 720 Chestnut.

CLAYTON, 4596—Dwelling, 7 rooms and reception hall, hot-water heat, all conveniences; will decorate to suit tenant; open Sunday from 2 to 5 p. m.

COOK, 3757—3-room cottage.

COOK, 4648—12-room house; owner and daughter will board; probably 3 others.

COOK AV., 4808—9 rooms; open; $37.50.
M. B. O'REILLY R. & I. CO., 720 Chestnut.

COOK, 5666—5-room house, laundry; fine order; new furnace; low rent. Key at 3668.

COOK, 4648—A fine 12-room house, suitable for rooming or nice boarding house; $55.
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COTE BRILLIANTE, 5738—8-room, 2-story brick house; bath, gas fixtures, $16.

COTTAGES—Flats, stores, in and near Wellston.
KING REALTY CO., 6200 Easton av. (f)

COTTAGE—4 rooms and bath, all; electric lights; large garden; rent $10; inquire at 3648 Loughborough; Bell phone South 479.

COTTAGE—For rent; 5 rooms, bath, gas, electric fixtures; heat; South Side; 2 car lines; owner must leave city and will rent $12 month. Box G-41, Post-Dis. (62)

COTTAGE—For rent; modern; 5 rooms, reception hall, tile bath, brick cottage, garage in rear; $15 per month, including shades and fixtures. Visit St. Louis; end of Bellefontaine line. Box Y-168, P.-D.

COTE BRILLIANTE, 5647—6-room stone-front cottage, $16; no children.

COTE BRILLIANTE, 5285—Cottage, 6 rooms; rent $16; key there.
McGINNIS, 202 Title Guaranty Bldg.

COTE BRILLIANTE, 4214 and 4216—One 6-room cottage and 5-room cottage; newly papered and painted; large yards and stables; open today; rents $16 and $18.
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DAVESON, 2621—Five-room house, $7; bath, gas, large lot; shed. Union, Bellefontaine car.

DELMAR BL., 4472A—Six rooms, bath, fixtures, etc.; $22.50.
ALBERT G. BLANKE, 608 Chestnut st.

DELMAR BL., 4474—Four rooms, bath, etc.; $16.
ALBERT G. BLANKE, 608 Chestnut st.

DELMAR BL., 4476A—Four rooms, bath, electric light fixtures, newly decorated; gas grate; open.

DELMAR BL., 4101—Eight splendid rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures, suitable to sublet; reduced to $30.

DODIER, 2522—6 rooms and bath, hot and cold water; hot-water heat.

ELIAS, 961 (N. Broadway)—3 rooms, lot 100x150; $12.

ETZEL, 5748—11 rooms, reduced from $50 to $35; greatest bargain in city; apply 930 Ist.

EUCLID, 1838 N.—Eight rooms and bath, modern conveniences; in first-class condition.

EVANS, 3561—8 large rooms, bath; $16.
R. J. BROADERS, 909 Chestnut st.

FAIR, 3024—Six-room cottage, $16; keys at 3022 Fair av.

GAMBLE, 2618—8-room dwelling, bath, etc.; will put in good order; open; $35.
KEANE & FRANKE, 1006 Chestnut st.

GARFIELD, 3720—Five-room brick, bath, gas, large attic; reduced to $15.

GARRISON, 516 N.—8-room Queen Anne residence; in good order; furnace heat, granitoid basement; janitor service; south side; $40 per month. Janitor in first store.

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY TRUST CO., 4th and Pine. (cf)

GEYER, 2416—Six rooms, $25.
KOTTMAN-ALTHEN, 818 Chestnut st.

GRANVILLE PL., 1401—8-room brick residence; electric light, furnace, bath; newly decorated inside; rent very reasonable; call Central 1883; keys at 1404A. (55)

GREENWOOD BL., 8350—Three rooms, light housekeeping; gas, water, good location; Marshall 2436; $10.

HAMILTON, 1060—Six rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures, etc.; $26; open.
ALBERT G. BLANKE, 608 Chestnut st.

HAMILTON, 1044—Nine rooms, bath, furnace and fixtures, etc.; $30; open.
ALBERT G. BLANKE, 608 Chestnut st.

HAMILTON, 1048—8 rooms, modern, perfect order; furnace, bath, etc., $30. Culver, phone Forest 7917.

HICKORY, 1819—6 choice rooms, bath; newly papered and painted; concessions to good tenant.

HIGHLAND, 5957—6 rooms, bath and store room, hot-water heat; newly decorated; $25.

HOUSE—Glasgow av., 6-room brick, hall, gas and bath in nice order; $18; open.
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HOUSES—A 3 and one 4 room house, on Concordia av. Call on Fred Moellenhoff, 5648 Morganford rd.

HOUSE—5 rooms, partly furnished, yard, large shed, centrally located; can be had for the keep of a man 55 years old; one who can find temporary employment for me preferred. Box G-245, Post-Dispatch.

HUMPHREY, 4335—Nice 5-room frame house, rent only $12.

HUNT, 4466—6 rooms, $18.

IOWA, 3838—Five-room brick cottage, on one floor; gas, water, laundry; large stable; $18. Sidney 1281R. Victor 3116J.

IRVING, 1074 (Wellston)—5-room house, bath, electric lights, gas, water, rent $20.

JONES, 1214—Large 10-room house; bath; fixtures; all nicely decorated; large yard; $35.

A. T. JOHNSON JR. R. CO., 108 N. 8th st.

JOSEPH, 6252—Five-room cottage, 3 blocks south of Page; good location; just west of Wagner Electric and Fulton Iron Works.

JUNIATA, 3566—Beautiful 8-room residence; bath, gas, fixtures, furnace, newly decorated; $45. G. L. EMMERER, 209 Liggett Bldg.

KENSINGTON, 5199—8-room corner house, electric light, hardwood floors, vestly heated.

LACLEDE, 3887—6 nice rooms, bath, furnace, only $20; open.
OREON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 617 Chestnut st.

LAFAYETTE, 3150—10 rooms, bath, furnace, hot and cold water, key at drug store.
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DWELLINGS FOR RENT

LAFAYETTE, 2016—11 rooms, baths, steam heat; no water license; opposite Lafayette Park; low rent.

LAMI, 1811—Nine-room house; all conveniences; including hot water heating system, gas and electric fixtures; $35. Apply 1800 Shenandoah; phone Victor 3116J. (c59)

LA SALLE, 5427—6-room brick cottage, water; cheap. Apply 4115 Cook av.

LEDUC, 4762—6-room cottage; all conveniences; garden, chicken yard; reasonable.

LENOX PL., 8—12 rooms, all conveniences; rent $150 month. For further particulars see

ALBERT T. TERRY & CO., 822 Chestnut.

LEXINGTON, 4188—3-room cottage; with stable.
LINDELL BL., 3913—12 rooms; strictly modern.
CAULFIELD & LEWIS, 716 Chestnut.

LORRAINE, 4922—6-room, steam-heated residence, with every modern convenience; open for inspection; hours 11 and 2:30; $70 a month to desirable tenants. Take Natural Bridge car, getting off at King's highway.

LUCAS, 3905—Seven rooms, furnace and fixtures; complete order.

LUCAS, 3837—Five fine, large rooms, gas and brick stable; for 2 horses; $15.
McPHERSON, 4043—6 rooms, gas, bath, furnace, reception hall.
R. WOOD, 915 Chestnut st.

McPHERSON, 4624—12 rooms; all conveniences, rent $80 a month.
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MAFFITT, 3—Cottage, 5 rooms, modern, furnace heat, gas and electricity.
DYAR REALTY CO., 15 N. 7th.

MAGNOLIA, 5808—Four-room cottage, $12; fine for peddler.

MAPLE, 4006—Nice, 4-room cottage; large grounds, $14; phone Cabany 2466J.

MAPLE, 5636—Splendid 12-room residence; hot water heat; very low rent; open.
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MIMIKA, 3240—New 6-room brick, steam heat, bath, gas and electricity; rent $18.50; northbound Bellefontaine car to end of line, walk 4 blocks north.
TROTTMAN REALTY CO., 1518 Cass av.

MONTGOMERY RD., 3725—Three-room house; city water, large garden; $8. Apply 5466 Morgantord.

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NICHOLSON PL., 14—A fine house, in private place, opposite Lafayette Park; 11 rooms; hardwood floors; large yard; furnace; very cheap rent if taken now; $35.
WATTS REALTY CO., 521 Chestnut.

NINTH, 2636 S.—Four rooms, newly papered; $8 floor.

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OBEAR, 4221—5-room cottage, to itself; water, gas, newly decorated and cleaned; $7.

ODELL, 4500—Six rooms, $18.
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OLD MANCHESTER RD., 8319—Seven-room cottage; water; $10.50. ZINK, 15 N. 7th.

PAGE, 6336—Six-room brick, all conveniences, newly decorated; open Sunday.

PAGE, 6350—Five-room house, bath, gas, yard, etc.; stove heat; $20. (c)

PAGE BL., 3629—7-room dwelling, bath, etc.; in fine order; key 3627; $22.50.
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PAGE BL., 6290—Elegant, modern 8-room residence, new furnace and plumbing; $37.50; open.
GAULFIELD & LEWIS, 716 Chestnut.

PALM, 1826—Five-room house, bath, gas, fixtures, furnace, etc.

PALMER, 4115 Fullerton Bldg.

PLYMOUTH, 6186—Very desirable 7-room house, only 3 years old; furnace, bath, combination fixtures; rent $32.50, which includes city water. See owner, 6172 Plymouth.

PLYMOUTH, 6178—Very desirable 8-room house, furnace, 2 baths, combination fixtures; rent only $32.50 which includes city water. See owner, 6172 Plymouth.

PRAIRIE, 4128—Cottage, brick; 3 large rooms; will put in good condition; half month's rent free; call 3909 Kennerly; 'phone Bell 3084; $14 month. (c66)

QUEEN, 2712—8-room cottage; water, etc.; $8.50.
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RADCLIFFE, 13 (University City)—For lease, 10 rooms, modern; hot water heat.
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RESIDENCE—$55 for a furnished 10-room residence, Delmar, near Grand; income good to responsible party; references required. Box R-176, Post-Dispatch.

ST. FERDINAND, 4565—Two good rooms; fine yard, front and back; $7 per month.

ST. FERDINAND, 5881-83—Two and 4 room cottages; water paid; painted, laundry, yard, chickens; $9 and $5.

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ST. LOUIS, 2606—Four-room brick dwelling, with good stable and yard; $15.
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ST. VINCENT, 3064—Cottage.

ST. VINCENT, 3808A—Eight large, clean, light rooms; decorated to suit; excellent condition; steam heat; stable; reasonable to good tenant. (c69)

ST. VINCENT, 2755—Seven large rooms, bath, reception hall, combination fixtures, hot and cold water; laundry, furnace, limewash in bathroom and kitchen; convenient to 4 car lines; rent $20; open. (c)

SCHOOL, 3106—Cosy 6-room brick house; with bath; $20; open. (1)

SEVENTH, 2440 N.—Biggest bargain in town; 6-room house; perfect order; only $10.

SHERIDAN, 3101—6 rooms and bath; keys at 3103 Sheridan.

SHERIDAN, 3108—8-room residence; gas, bath, fine condition; reduced for good tenant to $20. (f)
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SHERIDAN, 4766—Three-room brick house, $10; water paid; also others Delmar 3466L.

TAYLOR, 3319 N.—Modern 6-room cottage; open; $25.

TAYLOR, 1945—5 rooms, bath, fine furnace, laundry, electric fixtures, newly decorated; open.

TENNESSEE, 4516—Four-room house, bath, furnace, gas, $15.

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UNIVERSITY, 2509—4-room cottage, newly decorated; $12.

UNIVERSITY, 2535—8-room detached brick, new condition; yard; convenient location; $30.

UNIVERSITY, 2217—Convenient 7-room house, bath, laundry, hot and cold water, low rent.

VIRGINIA, 5537—4-room cottage, $8.
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VIRGINIA, 6006—Five-room house, with gas; newly decorated; $16.

VIRGINIA, 6139—5 room dwelling; easy; title home; month's rent free; Forest 1288R. (c69)

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WELLS, 5828—Six rooms and water, $18.
KOTTMAN-ALTHEN, 818 Chestnut st.

WEST BELLE PL., 5916—8-room residence, $35.

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WEST BELLE PL., 5884—10 rooms, hot-water heat; $40.
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WESTMINSTER PL., 4044—Beautiful 10-room, hot-water heated residence; private family; say moving. Phone Forest 1288R.

WESTMINSTER PL., 4114—13 rooms, all conveniences; rent $80 a month.
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WEST PARK, 6224—Dwelling, 5 rooms.

WEST PINE BL., 5814—14 rooms; hardwood floors, furnace, electricity, fixtures, etc.; newly decorated.

WILLIAM PL., 3412—5-room brick cottage; reception hall, bath, $18; open. (c)

WILLIAM PL., 3402—Seven rooms, hot-water heat, bath and gas, electric light; $21.

WINDSOR PL., 3918—Modern house of 9 large rooms; good for rooming house purpose; $40.
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ACCOMAC, 2708—Large store, suitable for any kind of business; centre of prosperous locality; low rent to good tenant.
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BROADWAY, 1231 to 1235 N.—Upper floors, for light manufacturing. F. Churchill Whittemore Co., 118-120 N. 4th st.

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4025 Lindell, 6 rms., bath, steam ht.... 40 00
Westminster Apts., Newstead and McPherson, 4 rms., apts.... 40 00
1534A Shawmut pl., 5 rms., 2d fl., st. ht., bath, $27.50 and.... 32 50
4568 McMillan, 4 rms., bath, st. heat.... 30 00
1354 Shawmut pl., 4 rms., st. ht., bath.... 30 00
Montrose Apts., Garrison and Dickson, 2 to 4 rms., st. heated, $12.00 to.... 25 00
DWELLINGS
725 Delmar, 14 rms., 2 baths, 3 toilets, furnace, pr.... 75 00
4462 Maryland, 9 rms., modern house, garage if desired, without.... 65 00
5333 Labanne, 9 rooms, bath, furnace.... 50 00
5358 Lindell, 11 rooms, fur., comb. fix., storeroom.... 50 00
2620 Locust, 11 rooms, bath.... 50 00
5545 Cates, 8 rooms, bath, furnace.... 50 00
2945 Washington, 12 rms., bath.... 42 50
149 Blackstone, 9 rms., bath, fur.... 42 50
2936 Locust, 12 rooms, bath.... 40 00
516 N. Garrison, 9 rms., bath, fur.... 40 00
4537 Lucas, 12 rms., bath, furnace.... 40 00
114 S. Second.... 40 00
717-19 S. Second.... 40 00
4100 W. Pine, 8 rms., bath.... 40 00
4069 Delmar, 9 rms., bath, fur.... 40 00
4101 W. Pine, 8 rms., b., fur., comb. fix., screens.... 35 00
4105 W. Pine, 8 rms., b., comb. fix., fur., screens.... 35 00
4026 Delmar, 9 rms., b., 2 toilets, fur. 35 00
4097 Delmar, 9 rms., bath, fur.... 35 00
4101 Delmar, 8 rms., bath, fur.... 30 00
4203 Delmar, 8 rms., bath, fur., each.... 30 00
4041 Olive, 8 rms., bath.... 30 00
213-219 N. Sarah, 8 rms., bath, comb. fixtures, screens, etc., each.... 30 00
29 S. Compton, 7 rms., bath, store in basement.... 28 00
4107 Delmar, 8 rms., bath, fur.... 27 50
12 S. Newstead, 8 rms., bath, fur.... 27 50
2747-49 Geyer, 8 rms., bath.... 25 00
3927 Finney, 8 rms., bath, modern.... 25 00
3937 Washington, 6 rms., bath, fur.... 25 00
3933 Washington, 6 rms., bath, fur.... 20 00
3929 W. Pine, 6 rms., bath, fur.... 20 00
1017 N. Sixth, 6 rooms.... 20 00
2918 Dolle Glade, 6 rooms.... 15 00
4060 Cook, 6 rooms, all conveniences.... 15 00
2518 N. Sarah, 4 rooms.... 10 00
Kinloch Pk., 6 rooms.... 15 00
FLATS.
3003A Page, 7 rms., steam heat.... 40 00
4064A Von Versen, 6 rms., bath.... 30 00
4060 Morgan, 5 rms., bath, furnace.... 27 50
4555A Delmar, 6 rms., bath, furnace.... 25 00
1102 Hickory, 5 rms., bath.... 25 00
2115 Clark, 5 rms. and bath.... 25 00
5529 Cook, 4 rms., bath, fur., 2d floor.... 25 00
5047 Page, 4 rms., bath.... 20 00
4072A Grattan, 5 rooms, bath.... 20 00
4258 Chestnut, 4 rms., bath.... 20 00
715 Walton, 4 rooms, bath.... 16 00
Walton, 4 rms., bath, 1st floor, janitor service.... 16 00
1204A Rutger, 5 rooms.... 15 00
4012A Waldemar, 5 rms., bath.... 15 00
4065 Swan, 7 rooms, bath.... 14 50
5339 Page, 5 rooms, bath.... 14 50
2843 Market, 9 rooms.... 14 50
2907 Cass, 5 rooms.... 14 00
3909 Cass, 3 rooms, bath.... 14 00
2834 S. Jefferson, 3 rooms.... 13 00
4060 Cook, 3 rooms, bath.... 13 00
4564 Swan, 3 rooms.... 13 00
4064B Kennerly, 4 rooms.... 11 00
4112 N. Ellenwood, 3 rooms.... 11 00
1045-45-47 Macklin, 3 rms., toilet, each.... 10 00
2745 Market, 2 rooms.... 10 00
2737 Carroll, 3 rooms.... 10 00
2301 South Road, 4 rooms.... 10 00
2125 O'Fallon, 3 rooms.... 10 00
1422 Garfield, 4 rooms.... 9 50
5130A San Francisco, 4 rooms.... 9 00

1454A Collins, 3 rooms.... 6 00
ROOMS.
1736B Franklin, 4 rooms, 3d floor.... 14 00
1135-37A S. Seventh, $15 and.... 12 50
2539A Clark, 3 rooms.... 12 50
912A S. Ewing, 3 rooms.... 10 00
2204 Washington, 3d fl., 4 rms.... 10 00
1013 N. Sixth, 3 rooms.... 10 00
104 S. Fourth, 2 rms., 3d floor.... 9 00
1414 St. Ange, 3 rooms.... 9 00
2203 to 11 St. Charles, rooms $7 to.... 9 00
2842A Lyons, 2 rooms.... 8 00
1414A St. Ange, 3 rms., 2d floor.... 8 00
801B Hickory, 3 rooms.... 8 00
9% N. Eighth, 1 room.... 6 00
1106 Carr, 2 rooms.... 5 50
1009 N. Sixth, 2 rooms.... 5 00
9½ N. Eighth, 3d floor, 1 room.... 4 50
100 S. Fourth, rooms, $9.00.... 4 50
1106 Carr, 1 room.... 3 50
FOR COLORED.
1320-02 Chestnut, 22 rooms.... 50 00
2322 Franklin, 3 rooms.... 11 50
4026 Finney, 6 rooms, bath, each.... 20 00
2926 Fairfax, 4 rooms.... 15 00
2039A Clark, 3 rooms.... 12 00
2414A-18A Lucas, $6 to.... 12 00
403A-11A Montrose, 3 rms., each.... 10 00
2224A N. Broadway, 5 rooms.... 8 00
2227 Randolph, 3 rooms, bath; possession Dec. 10.... 30 00
1842 Wash, 6 rooms, bath.... 25 00
3607A Olive, 6 rooms, bath.... 25 00
3634A Hartford, 6 rooms, bath.... 25 00
3432 Park, 5 rooms, bath.... 20 00
1119A Vandeventer, 5 rooms.... 20 00
2834A Lafayette, 5 rooms, bath.... 20 00
1514 N. 19th, 7 rooms, bath.... 20 00
3831 Windsor pl., 5 rooms, bath.... 18 00
3904A Connecticut, 5 rooms, bath.... 16 00
720 S. Fourth, 4 rooms, 3d floor.... 12 00
6321A Bartmer, 3 rooms, bath.... 10 00
6325 Bartmer, 3 rooms, bath.... 10 00
ROOMS.
2094½ S. Broadway, 11 rooms, bath.... 60 00
2524A Market, 3 rooms.... 9 00

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1370 Granville, 10 rooms, modern.... 42 50
4626 Molly, 8 rooms, modern.... 30 00
5015 Paris, 7 rooms, modern.... 30 00
3919 Cleveland pl., 8 rooms, b., fur.... 30 00
3013 Lindell, 12 rooms; strictly modern.... 75 00
FLATS AND ROOMS.
5118 Page, 7 rooms, modern.... 30 00
5700 Olive, 7 rooms, modern.... 30 00
5746 Olive, 5 rms., bath; 3 rooms, mod. 25 00
4940 Page, 6 rooms.... 25 00
4100A-B Olive, 5 rooms.... 18 00 to 20 00
4120A Maffitt, 5 rooms, bath.... 19 00
4515A Delmar, 4 rooms, bath, etc.... 18 00
5746 Olive, 4 rooms, bath.... 18 00
3744-3826 Newstead, 3 rooms.... 11 00
4114-4116 Sarah, 3 rooms, bath.... 10 00
1727A Sullivan pl., 3 rooms.... 8 00
1871A-B S. 11th, 3 rooms.... 8 00
FOR COLORED.
4205 Finney, 12 rooms, modern.... 40 00
4263A-64A Page, 8 rooms, bath.... 30 00
4454 Bernard, 3 rooms.... 11 00
1535A-35 Gratiot, 3 rooms.... 9 00

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307 CHESTNUT ST.
APARTMENTS.
4603 Bell, 6 rooms, steam heat....$33 00
4603 Bell, 6 rooms.... 33 00
4626 Cote Brilliante, 6 rooms.... 30 00
4153 Labadie, 6 rooms, bath.... 20 00
4152A Labadie, 5 rooms, bath.... 18 00
4148A Chippewa, 3 rooms, bath.... 16 00
1142 Walton, 3 rooms, bath.... 15 00
4060 Delmar, 3 rooms, bath.... 15 00
4641 Swan, 3 rooms, bath.... 13 00
4745 Tennessee, 3 rooms and bath.... 13 00
4639 S. Jefferson, 3 rooms.... 13 00
1718 Lafingwell, 3 rooms.... 12 50
2935 Lamp, 3 rooms.... 12 00
4060 Cook, 3 rooms.... 12 00
839 S. 7th, 4 rooms.... 12 00
3939A S. 9th, 3 rooms.... 10 00
3015 N. Jefferson, 3 rooms.... 7 00
STORES, ETC.
2018 Gravois, large store.... 24 00
2605 Easton, store.... 18 00
2615 Easton, store.... 18 00
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STABLES.
1808 Lafayette, large livery stable.... 60 00
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2245 Humphrey.... 3 00

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510 Liggett Building
DWELLINGS.
2028 Bell av., 12 rooms.... $35 00
3668 Finney, 10 rooms, all conveniences 35 00
3585 Henrietta, 10 rooms, all conveniences.... 30 00
FLATS.
3904 Russell, 4 rooms, bath.... 19 00
3134A Pine St., 6 rooms, bath.... 18 00
625 Leffingwell, 6 rooms.... 20 00
2037A Cass, 5 rooms, bath.... 13 00
1041 N. Sarah, 5 rooms, bath.... 3 00
STORES.
0 N. Main, 5-story and basement.... 75 00
1720 Olive, store, steam heat.... 50 00
1122 Pine, 3-story building.... 45 00
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4011 Fountain, 9 rooms, bath.... 50 00
5526 Maple, 10 rooms, bath, possession Oct.... 50 00
4184 W. Belle Pl., 10 rooms, bath.... 50 00
2718 Olive, 10-room house, bath.... 30 00
1242 Sutter, 6 rooms, bath, furnace.... 30 00
2126 Sidney, 5 rooms.... 15 00
6329 Elm, 4 rooms.... 12 50
APARTMENTS.
Lyndon Apartments (Taylor and Laclede), steam heat and janitor service, 4 and 5 rooms and bath, $40 to.... 50 00
San Marco (5108 Delmar), 4 and 5 rooms, bath, steam heat, janitor service.... 42 50
2712 Olive, 9 rooms, bath, steam heat, janitor service.... 42 50
Monticello Apartments, 3972 Page, 4 rooms, janitor service, all conv. 40 00
5273 Waterman, 6 rooms, bath, steam heat.... 40 00
FLATS.
5727 Clemens, 6 rooms, bath.... 35 00
5063A Kensington, 7 rooms, bath.... 35 00
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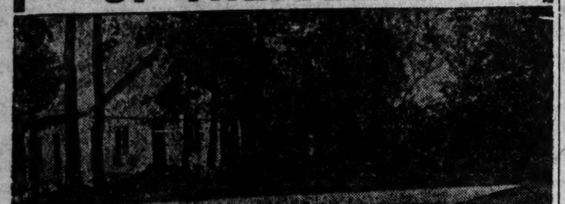
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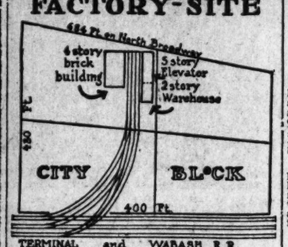
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MONEY Wtd.—$1000, by local manufacturing concern; very safe and very profitable investment, without services, with chance to more than double your money. Box E-258, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY Wtd.—To borrow, $3000, on first-class security, at 8 per cent; will pay back $50 monthly; additional security given by assignment $3000 old line life insurance. Box G-221, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY Wtd.—I own two first deeds of trust, each $900, running about 3 years at 6 per cent interest, secured by excellent property; I need cash in my business and will discount $25. Box A-57, Post-Dispatch.

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MONEY Wtd.—$1200, $1600 and upward, on gilt-edged first deeds of trust; perfect title, insurance papers; if you have idle money, call or write
LOUIS F. YECKEL, 2919 S. Broadway.

LOAN Wtd.—Of $500, good security; no agent or commission paid. Box R-20, Post-Dispatch.

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Lend me $500 on my nearly new 4 and 5 large room flat; bath, complete; combination fixtures, screens, etc.; street made; near St. Louis av.; will pay 10% monthly interest; $5 per cent commission, 8 per cent interest; answer at once. Box M-115, Post-Dispatch.

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Three years, 6 per cent, on nearly new modern frame cottage, lot 30x125; worth $1500; will pay commission. Box M-114, Post-Dispatch.

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We have deeds of trust for sale. If you have money to loan, see us at once; we positively guarantee every deed of trust we sell. Call and see us.
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We have the following: $2000, $3000, $4000, $5000, $12,500, $13,500 and $15,000, at 6 per cent.
BUSH-BURNS REALTY CO., 1105 Chestnut.

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For sale: $1850, $2250, $2300, $3000, $3500, $4000, $6000, $6500, $25,000, at 5, 5½ and 6 per cent; with perfect title, fire and tornado insurance.
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For conservative first deeds of trust, $400 to $13,000; 6 per cent.
4011 CHOUTEAU AV.

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Paying 6 per cent, secured by improved city real estate, in denominations of $800 to $10,000. Principal and interest guaranteed. Securities cashed by trust department without discount or commission; investor receiving principal and earned interest to date of sale. Notes payable at our office when due.
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ON DOUBLE SECURITY

Ranging in the following amounts: $1000, $2000, $2100, $2200, $2500, $3000, $3500, $4000, $4500, $5500, $7000, $7500, $8000, $12,000 and $20,000. Each of the above loans are ready for delivery with clear titles and ample insurance; will gladly mail list upon request.
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Holders of promissory notes made by persons with good reputation will find purchaser at 15% cash; dealer only basis by addressing Box M-25, Post-Dis.

MONEY TO LOAN—If you are reputed prompt pay, I will let you have money on reasonable terms that you may make your Christmas presents for cash; saving a big percentage on your purchases. Box M-26, Post-Dispatch.

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Let us show how easy it is to own your own home and be your own rent collector. If you have clear vacant we will build for you and furnish the money you need, all without commission, to complete your house. If you own vacant and owe some on it we will pay off the deed of trust and loan you money to build. We build bungalows from $1000 up; single flats, $3000 and up; double flats, $4200 and up. This is a fraternal, meritorious building proposition without publicity. To owners wanting good tenants for business property we have them. Don't put off calling.
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SALARY loans made quickly and confidentially. Apply room 810 Holland Bldg.

MONEY advanced on salaries; strictly confidential; easy payments. United Finance Co., 705 Chemical Bldg. (c99)

MONEY advanced salaried people without security; no delay, no publicity. Room 324, 319 N. 4th st. (c14)

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Lowest Rates of Interest in the City.
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Licensed and operated under supervision of city to loan money on furniture and pianos.
Interest on $15 ..... 30 cents
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All other amounts in proportion. Call, write or telephone Main 2333 or Central 2253. 410 Locust st., room 302. (c14)

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Loans on Household Goods.
$50 for 10 months, total cost $7.
$75 for 10 months, total cost $10.
$100 for 10 months, total cost $12.50.
Other amounts in proportion. There are no other charges of any character.
204 Railway Exchange Bldg. (c14)

WHEN YOU BORROW MONEY

$10 OR MORE.

You naturally want it quickly and confidentially. You want to feel that you are dealing with a company who will consider your interests, give you every advantage and extend the utmost courtesy and consideration at all times. This service has pleased many others and is sure to please you.
PEOPLE'S BROKERAGE CO.,
ROOM OLIVE ST., ROOM 6 (c)
SECOND FLOOR, Kinloch Central 899.

BORROW FROM US

$10 UPWARDS.
Because if we can't convince you that our terms are reasonable, considering strength, risk, etc., our terms easy, our methods of doing business and our treatment of you fair and square, we don't want to make you a loan. We can't make you borrow and we can't force you through, we don't want to make you a loan. We can't make you borrow and we can't force you through, we don't want to make you a loan. We can't nothing about security; all we ask is that you make a small weekly or monthly payment without hardship to yourself; investigate; if won't cost you anything to satisfy yourself. Call, write or phone Central 3488. Money at once.
PEOPLE'S BROKERAGE CO.,
ROOM 307 COMMERCIAL BLDG. (c14)

SERVICE of LOST WANTS.

One great convenience of Post-Dispatch Wants in returning lost articles is that they usually work quickly. An hour or two after the Want tells of a lost article, thousands of persons are reading the Wants. The losers and finders of lost articles are the first to make a critical examination of these ads, with the result that if the lost article is found by an honest person it is immediately restored.

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In amounts to suit on city and country real estate; terms reasonable; quick answer.
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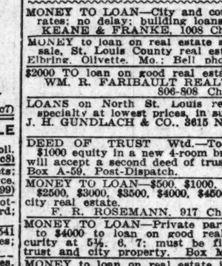
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Hemmelmann-Spackler R. E. Co.
Safe Investors of Money. 822 Chestnut. (c99)



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MONEY WANTED

LOAN Wtd.—Loan of $9000 wanted on property worth $10,000, and a farm worth $12,500, on 5 per cent; no agents; buy private party; apply Box M-251, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY Wtd.—$1500, at 6 per cent, on brick dwelling. Box R-86, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY Wtd.—$400, on two city lots. Box M-108, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY Wtd.—To borrow $50 for 4 months, on 2 names, 1 indorsement. Box R-172, P.-D.

MONEY Wtd.—$1000, on good corner; 5 stores and house; pay 6 per cent for 5 years. Box G-68, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY Wtd.—To borrow $80,000 on security worth $100,00; will make good inducements to private party. Thomas Cull, 2928 Olive.

DEED OF TRUST—For sale, first, $800, 3 years, at 6 per cent, on new bungalow; lot 25x150. ZINK & CO., 15 N. 7th.

MONEY Wtd.—To borrow $30,000, on centrally located downtown business property; good loan. Box R-247, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY Wtd.—Loan of $9000, 3 years, at 6, on my South Side flats; rents $1800. Box A-36, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY Wtd.—$2800, 6 per cent, first deed of trust, on property worth $6000. Box G-126, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY Wtd.—$3600, secured by first deed of trust on improved New Madrid County (Mo.) farm; positively worth $16,000. Address R. T. Lindley, Cairo, Ill.

MONEY Wtd.—I want to borrow $8000 for 3 years, 6 per cent, on my new residence in the choicest part of the West End, which cost me $15,000. Box E-274, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY Wtd.—I want to borrow $18,500 for 3 years, 6 per cent, on my new investment property, which I now lease at $2120 per year. Box E-273, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY Wtd.—To borrow $1000, first deed of trust on farm worth $4000, in Howell County; good investment. Box R-178, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MONEY Wtd.—Want to sell deed of trust, $1500, 6 per cent, 3 years; brick cottage; also frame; modern improvements; 40x230; 5015 Wells av. (c5)

MONEY Wtd.—I need $500 in my business; will pay 2 per cent a month or 24 per cent monthly on account; good security. Box G-209, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY Wtd.—Loan of $8000 for 3 years, at 6 per cent, on new West End flat of 6 and 6 rooms; 30-foot lot; no commission. Box A-56, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY Wtd.—$500, for 1 year, at 6 per cent, on second deed of trust; city property worth $5000; incumbered for $3000. Box M-40, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY Wtd.—To borrow $450 on monthly payments, second deed of trust of $950, for 1 year; will pay 10 per cent commission, 8 per cent interest, reliable party. Box M-186, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY Wtd.—From principals, $7000, five years, 6 per cent; first mortgage; 160 acres irrigated, improved land in Colorado, worth $100 per acre; 65 acres in alfalfa; good rental hazard; live in St. Louis; same good salary, life insured. Box G-29, Post-Dispatch.

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May, 1914, delivery, on any suburban property purchased of us during December, 1913. Select from these:

One acre of ground; cheap; 4-room cottage, unfinished; spring water; $650; $50 cash, balance easy; 1¼ miles west of Kirkwood, half mile from Manchester car line.

1¼ acres of ground, 2-room shack and shed; good water; 4 miles north of Meramec Highlands; $750; $50 cash, balance easy.

1¼ acres; $300 per acre; spring water; no improvements; ¼ mile north of Meramec Highlands.
HOLLIS & JOHNMAN,
1453 S. Vandeventer av.

Week days till 6:30 p. m., Sundays till noon.

Who Wants This?

7501 Suffolk av. (Shrewsbury Park), 8-room Queen Anne frame, bath, furnace, stable; all newly papered, painted; lot 100x300; fruit, shrubs; price $4250; only $250 down, balance monthly, $25; it's fine; see it; a big bargain at price offered. ZINK & CO., 15 N. 7th.

Save $2000 MIDWINTER BARGAIN Webster

$6000 home for $4000; owner compelled to sacrifice 7 rooms, hot-water heated residence and garage, built in 1910, Dondelay. Phone owner at once, Cabanne 3127, or Monday, Lindell 5533. 3947 Laclede. (c)

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62 acres, Fee Fee rd., between Creve Coeur Lake line and the St. Charles rock rd.; 6-room house; fruit, pasture, wheat and corn; all rich soil; half mile from Creve Coeur car; price $275 per acre.

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18 acres, Olive st. rd. and Price rd.; 8-room house; good outbuildings; price $20,000.

24 acres, Price rd., between Bonhomme and Ladue rd.; 8-room house, good outbuildings.

10 acres, Concord School rd., 6-room brick house, stable, etc.; fruit farm.

10 acres, Olive st. rd., at Olivette.

5 acres, Olive st. rd., near Price rd.; beautiful residence.

5 acres, Bonhomme rd., near Price rd., price $750 per acre.

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MINER REALTY CO., 102 N. 10th st.

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West of Pennsylvania av., at a low price.
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Solid scale, 10c line, minimum 20c.

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PIANIST—Sit.; refined young lady; sight reader. Lindell 4011W, 4336 Duncan av.

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EXPERT violin and mandolin; beginners and advanced pupils taught, reasonable. Miss Clear, 3528 California.

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PUPILS Wtd.—For piano. Call Delmar 2246R.

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RAG time recital, first held in St. Louis, Dec. 10, Kleekamp's Hall, 3121 S. Grand; pupils Wtd.—Vocals or piano; 50c, my home. Mrs. Hall, 1341 Aubert; phone Delmar 3219R. (c99)

ABSOLUTE method cultivation, all voices, tenors, especially, lost, injured voices restored. Box 764, St. Louis. (99)

PIANO lessons, 50c; classical or popular; 14 years teacher; recitals. Harriette Walker, 2006 Victor. (c99)

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KATIMA or vaudeville piano playing taught in 20 lessons; book sent free. Christensen School, Odeon Bldg., 1040 N. Grand. (c8)

PUPILS Wtd.—For zither, mandolin and guitar; best lessons. Herman Ebner, musicer; please send postal, 1717 N. 11th.

WM. KIMBLE, piano teacher and tuner; 4643 Page; terms reasonable; phone Delmar 3702L.

PIANO PUPILS Wtd.—Experienced teacher; special attention to beginners; will call at house, 50c lesson. Phone Central 9719R.

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PROF. SANDLER, teacher of violin and piano; terms 50c per lesson, at pupil's home. Ad. 4313 Margaretta av.

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VIOLIN LESSONS at your home by experienced teacher, 50c per hour; violin free with 25 lessons. Phone Delmar 2565R. (c)

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LEARN to play piano or organ by note in 30 minutes without a teacher. Easiest system on earth. Write for free offer. Delbridge, Danville, Ill.

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WILL teach you how to use your voice, produce quality, breath control, on reasonable terms; thorough method; improvement assured. E. F. Bell, 4—88, Post-Dispatch.

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WILL make your old piano like new; tuning, polishing and repairing, on easy-payment plan. Gordon, 1326 Bates. Lindell 3558. (c99)

TUNING and repairing of pianos, player-pianos, electric pianos and pipe organs, L. Dathan, 2125 Gravois av.

ALL piano tuning, $1.50; first-class tuner and repairer; years' experience. Kautz, 2229 S. Jefferson; phone Sidney 2631, Victor 2476L. (c14)

FIRST-CLASS piano tuning, player adjusted; repairing; all work strictly guaranteed. L. Winkler, 3532 Arkansas; Kinloch Victor 3269J.

EXPERT piano tuning, $1.50; work guaranteed; first-class repairing of pianos and player-pianos; best of references given. M. Homan, 3713 Park. Phone Grand 2004, Victor 1621L. (c14)

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HARP Wtd.—Double action; condition no object. 1416 West Bellis. (c99)

MANDOLIN—For sale; new Gibson mandolin; was $35; sell for $17. 4247A Red Bud. (c)

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PIANO—For sale; upright Gabler; A1 condition; cheap. 1241A Walton.

MANDOLINS and guitars at half price; direct from jobber who is going out of business. MENGEL MUSIC CO., 4300 Olive st., St. Louis, Mo. (c)

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MUSIC BOXES of all kinds; Reginas, Swiss, Myra, etc.; bargain prices; $5 up, including records. MENGEL MUSIC CO., 4300 Olive st., St. Louis, Mo. (c)

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VIOLIN—For sale; $500 buys finest old Cremona violin in St. Louis. 4011A Lexington.

VIOLIN—For sale, old, with elegant case, cheap; must be sold at once. 3532 Arkansas.

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PIANO—Elegant, and violin; sell cheap; out of work; bargain. Phone Victor 2897L.

CREDIT VOUCHER—For sale; on piano, for $115; very reasonable. 410 N. 11th st.

PIANO—For sale, upright mahogany; reason leaving city. 4226 Paulina.

PIANO—For sale, elegant Vose & Sons upright, new, only $140. 3615 Laclede. (c)

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PIANO—For sale, fine Fischer upright, perfect order, $75. 3615 Laclede. (c)

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PIANO—For sale, Steinway square, 7454 Hazel av., Maplewood, Mo.

CREDIT VOUCHER—For sale, for $115 on piano, for $75. 4916 Bayard av.

PIANO—For sale, cabinet strand, good chance. 4196 Manchester.

CREDIT VOUCHER—For sale, $125 voucher on piano, $8, 1944 Cherokee; 2d floor.

PIANO—For sale, Steinway square, in good order, $65. 3589 California av.

PIANO—For sale; $157 buys fine upright; cost $300; stool, scarf. 2238 Park.

PIANO—For sale, new $450 mahogany piano, finest make, $265. 3515 Juniata.

PIANO—For sale, fine square piano, $35; in fine condition. Call 2228 Hebert.

PIANO—For sale, Val Reis, $120; cost $10. 4126 Flad.

WANTED to sell $500 piano for $135; bargain; call quick. 2720 Park. (7)

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MANDOLIN—For sale; practically new; cost $25; sell for half. 2248 Fortune.

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CREDIT COUPON—For sale; Vail Reis, for $120, at $4. 1000 Hamilton.

GUITAR—For sale; 1 mandolin; folding bed. 1022 S. 19th.

PIANO—For sale; used; cost $350; will sell at a bargain; cash or terms. Box K-45, Post-Dispatch. (c)

PIANO—For sale; Standard, upright; used short time; cash or terms; call Monroe 2458R, or 5064A Delmar av. (c)

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PIANO—Full-sized upright, $65; in fine condition. Adams Piano Parlors, 318 N. Grand.

BEAUTIFUL standard upright piano; good as new; $150; cost $400; wonderful bargain. 3681 Washington.

CERTIFICATE—For sale; worth $150 at Val Reis Piano Co.; cheap; or will trade, what have you? Box G-206, Post-Dispatch.

J. AND C. FISCHER upright, in No. 1 condition, for a day or two only, $95; 75c per week.
MOLIAN HALL, 1004 Olive st. (c8)

MUSICAL

FOR SALE AND WANTED

PIANO—For sale, upright Decker, ebony finish, leaving city; sacrifice for $50. 1626 Arlington.

PIANO—For sale, dark oak upright piano, in fine condition, fine tone, $85. L. Dathan, 2125 Gravois av.

ORCHESTRA—For sale, Wurlitzer Bijou, with 100 rolls. Will sacrifice. Cost $1400, sell for $450. Call Belmont 1811.

CREDIT VOUCHER—For sale; $125, on piano-player; any offer accepted. 2217 Hickory.

CERTIFICATE—For sale, $115 certificate toward a piano purchase; cheap. Call 3927 Greer. (c)

CERTIFICATE—For sale; $125; Val Reis Piano; cheap; state price. Box G-145, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE—Credit voucher, $115, on piano company, for anything worth $5. Shaw, Victoria, Mo.

PIANO—For sale, mahogany upright, standard make; first-class condition; cheap. Honeyer, 6426 Easton.

CASH paid for cornets, alt

TWO APARTMENTS FOR SOUTH SIDE WILL COST $85,000

Buildings Are to Be Erected by Syndicate on Lafayette Avenue Tracts Purchased From Missouri Botanical Association Trustees.

BACHELOR QUARTERS PLANNED ON LINDELL

Old Gregory Homestead Will Be Used for Site of New Structure — Three-Story Building Will Be Erected on Delmar for Store and Suites.

Activity in the apartment building field was augmented in the closing days of November by notable building plans and investments on both the North and South sides of the city.

With the sale yesterday of two tracts on the north and south sides of Lafayette avenue, 69 feet west of Thirty-ninth street, to a syndicate composed of Andrew Craig, Andrew H. Weildt and Vincent A. Chinberg, plans were made public for the erection thereon of apartment buildings to cost, without the sites, $85,000.

The ground was owned by the Board of Trustees of the Missouri Botanical Association.

The whole operation was conceived by the Anderson-Stocke-Buerman Realty Co., which engineered it in connection with W. M. Stinde of Paul Jones & Co.

The tract on the north side of Lafayette avenue has a frontage of 269 feet by a depth of 136 feet, while that on the south side has a frontage of 139 feet by the same depth.

12 Buildings Planned.

The proposed improvements will consist of three-story structures, comprising in all 30 apartments, and three single flats. The project will give fresh impetus to apartment building on the South Side operators predict.

The price paid for the tracts was not disclosed, but it was at an attractive figure for the builders, it is understood.

Among the other large transactions was the purchase by Samuel Kennard of the Irving and Belmont apartments, at 5598 and 5601 Waterman avenue. These comprise six three-family buildings of three stories each. The area of the site is 80 by 205 feet.

Oscar A. Elmo conveyed the title, the transaction being effected by the Weisels-Gerhart Realty Co. This agency has to its credit in November four other sales of apartments in this locality.

Bachelor Apartments in View.

As a site for a bachelor apartment building to cost $50,000, Oscar A. Elmo purchased through the Weisels-Gerhart R. E. Co. the old Gregory homestead at 5750 Lindell boulevard. The title was conveyed by Sam Kennard in part payment for the Waterman avenue apartments. The consideration designated in the deed for the Lindell avenue site was $12,500. The site, now occupied by a 13-room house, has a frontage of 80x200 feet.

The apartments will have six rooms, two baths, large front porches and solarium and sleeping porches each. They will be provided with open fireplaces, concrete fireproof stairways, sound-proof floors, marble vestibules.

A three-story apartment building is to be erected at 5074 and 5076 Delmar boulevard, at the southwest corner of Academy walk. The first floor will be adapted for business purposes, while the second and third stories will be arranged in suites. This improvement will be erected by Frank Dellable, who purchased the site, 80x140 feet, by Mrs. B. C. Hazenstab.

John S. Blake & Bro. promoted the sale of this site together with the building project.

The three-story apartment building at 2900 Westminster place, has been purchased by Mrs. Laura Griswold and Miss M. L. Phillips. She gave in part payment four West End flats. The trade aggregating $40,000 was engineered by Joseph M. O'Reilly, by the M. B. O'Reilly Real Estate Co.

Apartment Building Sold.

An apartment building, 6220 Maple avenue, was sold by Elizabeth French to Emma Wolff, the transaction being effected through the Anderson-Stocke-Buerman Realty Co. and the Mercantile Trust Co.

There are six apartments of three rooms each, the building occupying a site of 50x135 feet.

The Mercantile Trust Co. and the Anderson-Stocke-Buerman Realty Co. were bee-hives of St. Louis realty circles during the week. With the advent of R. King Kaufman as real estate officer of the Mercantile Trust Co., with John B. Gibson as sales manager, that agency obviously has taken on new life. Already many sales are under way, the indications being that the closing days of the year in the real estate department of the trust company will be the most animated in its history. This applies both to the general real estate as well as the subdivision properties, especially Southampton, which is under the guiding genius of R. F. Buchanan.

At the Anderson-Stocke Realty Co. numerous sales of more or less importance are being engineered, the outlook at this agency being decidedly optimistic.

Asks $20,000 for Loss of Fingers.

John Ash filed suit yesterday for $20,000 against the Woodward & Tiernan Printing Co., on accounts of the loss of both thumbs and all his fingers in a paper cutting machine. The injury occurred April 23 last. It is averred the machine was defective and that the blade suddenly dropped as Ash was placing some paper to be cut.

INTEREST ON LIEN NOTES DUE ONLY AT MATURITY OF DEBT

Decision of St. Louis Court of Appeals Says Payment Cannot Be Made Semi-Annually.

OTHER AGREEMENT VOID

Law Declares That Interest Cannot Be Compounded by Word on Written Contract.

The St. Louis Court of Appeals, on July 5, 1913, rendered a decision, published Oct. 28, 1913, in the Southwestern Reporter, in the case of Kessler vs. Kuhnle, in effect holding that although separate interest notes are taken payable semi-annually and bearing interest from maturity, to represent interest on the indebtedness yet in computing interest on the debt, that interest may not be compounded semi-annually, as it is the effect of figuring interest on semi-annual interest notes. The Court goes further and holds that in such cases, the agreement for interest on the debt is void, leaving the parties without any agreement as to interest and therefore, the debt bears interest only as provided by law when there is no agreement, viz: interest at 6 per cent per annum, running with and payable on maturity of the debt and not annually, semi-annually or otherwise.

The language of the Court in regard to the matter, according to memoranda furnished to the Post-Dispatch by George Kingsland, real estate officer of the Mississippi Valley Trust Co., is as follows:

It was error to allow interest on the semi-annual interest notes. Section 7185, Rev. Stat. 1909, provides: "Parties may contract, in writing, for the payment of interest upon interest; but the interest shall not be compounded oftener than once a year." See also Western Storage & Warehouse Co. vs. Glasner, 169, Mo. 32; 68 S. W. 917; Citizens Nat. Bank vs. Donnell, 173, Mo. 364, 73 S. W. 925. Here the interest to accrue on the indebtedness was represented by the interest notes, and to permit each semi-annual interest note to begin to bear interest upon its maturity would be to compound the interest oftener than once a year in violation of the statute. A violation of this section does not vitiate the lien or mortgage, but merely makes that portion of the contract void. See Western Storage & Warehouse Co. vs. Glasner, 169, Mo. 32, 68, S. W. 917. The provision, therefore for the semi-annual interest notes to themselves, bear interest from their maturity was void. It would have been competent for the parties to contract, in writing, to the effect that interest, if unpaid, should, at the end of each year, be added to the principal debt and bear interest, but, in the absence of an agreement to such effect, the debt merely bears simple interest. Here the provision concerning compounding interest was illegal and void. Hence the situation must be dealt with as if no agreement were made in the premises, for we cannot make a contract for the parties.

NEW SUMMER RESORT IS TO BE BUILT IN OZARKS

Grant W. Porter and John D. Glancy Obtain 2000 Acres for Ozarkans.

Ozarkans is the name given to a new summer resort which is to be established in Southwest Missouri, overlooking the Meramec River. The tract, which has been cleared for the enterprise, comprises 2000 acres and is 92 miles from St. Louis and one and one-half miles from Steelville, the county seat of Crawford County. It is bounded on the north by the Meramec River and on the south by the Frisco railroad and is an ideal location for this purpose.

A clubhouse overlooking the Meramec is planned, together with golf links, tennis courts and an artificial lake.

The promoters, Grant W. Porter and John D. Glancy, who have opened offices in the Star Building, refer to Ozarkans as the Switzerland of America.

APARTMENT HOUSES GAIN

St. Louis Blue Book Shows 88 More Than Last Year.

Eighty-eight new apartment houses have been opened in St. Louis in the last year, as shown by the 1914 Blue Book, issued yesterday. The number of apartment houses listed is 353, as compared with 270 in the 1913 volume. The gain is just twice as great as the gain in the former year, the 1913 Blue Book having listed 224 apartment houses.

The book is not vastly different from former ones, except that the "Hints on Etiquette" contained in former volumes have been discarded, and young men aspiring to social distinction will have to look elsewhere to learn that "A gentleman precedes a lady ascending a stairway and follows her descending," and that "All wedding presents should be sent to the bride." The City Club has been added to the club rosters, but not the Town Club or the Press Club. The Sunset Hill Country Club, which has been made an organization of a more general character than when it was listed last year, has been dropped.

C. C. NICHOLLS JR. QUITS NICHOLLS-RITTER FIRM

Vice-President of Realty Company to Go Into Business on His Own Behalf.

Charles C. Nicholls Jr. announces his resignation as vice-president of the Nicholls-Ritter Realty and Financial Co. He will open offices in his own behalf in the near future.

Nicholls, who has been in the real estate business for the last seven years, has displayed signal ability in this field.

SPIRITED BIDDING IS PREDICTED FOR TWO SCHOOL SITES

Inquiries Indicate Rivalry for the Abandoned Laclede and Shaw Grounds.

The indications are that there will be considerable competition for the old Laclede and Shaw School properties which are to be disposed of by Charles P. Mason, secretary and treasurer of the Board of Education at noon tomorrow at the St. Louis Real Estate Exchange. Scores of inquiries have been made by realty agents on behalf of clients attracted by the offerings.

The properties are located at Tenth and Poplar streets and at King's highway and Vandeventer avenue. Both embrace liberal grounds and are especially desirable for commercial purposes. The sale of the holdings will be awarded to the highest bidder, although no bids under $12,000 and $20,000, the nominal prices for the sites, will be accepted.

Mason has conducted a number of sales at the St. Louis Real Estate Exchange with marked success.

REAL ESTATE AGENTS' REPORTS OF THEIR SALES

GOODNOW REALTY & INVESTMENT CO.

The Goodnow Realty and Investment Co. report the following sales:

For the account of Mr. A. P. Erker of the Erker Optical Co., to a client, a double two-story, four and five room brick flat building, 1148-50 Bayard avenue, situated on the east side of Bayard avenue, between Fountain avenue and Page boulevard, renting for $1000 per annum. These flats are modern in every particular and were sold at a valuation of $9600.

This agency also sold for the account of George Schierberg to the Regis Realty and Building Co. a two-story, six-room dwelling situated on a lot 50x180, 5716 Labadie avenue, consideration being $3500.

Also sold for the account of Miss Hester Schierberg a building lot on the northeast corner of Jefferson avenue and Dedier street, fronting 40 feet and 6 inch on Dodier street by 111 feet 10 inches on Jefferson avenue. This is future manufacturing property and was purchased by the Goodnow company's client for investment purposes.

Also sold for the account of the Regis Realty and Building Co. to Miss Hester Schierberg a single flat of five and six rooms, 1416-16A Blackstone avenue, renting for about $680 per annum. This flat is modern in every particular and is heated by steam. Miss Schierberg purchased this flat for investment.

They also report having sold a number of 5 and 6 per cent loans. Sold one loan of $12,000 at 5 per cent, one of $7000 at 6 per cent, one of $2500 at 6 per cent and another of $4200 at 6 per cent.

They also report having closed a downtown lease, particulars of which will be given next week.

WEISELS-GERHART R. E. CO.

The Weisel-Gerhart Real Estate Co. reports the following sales:

The latest sale was to Samuel M. Kennard, president of the J. Kennard & Sons Carpet Co., who purchased the Irving and Belmont apartments at 5598 and 5601 Waterman avenue, from Oscar A. Elmo, for $55,000. These buildings are three full story, three-family buildings, under long term leases and yield a gross annual rental of $3540, on lot 80x205.

Sold to Mr. John T. McLain of the McLain-Alcorn Commission Co., the Lenair Apartments, at 4463 Forest Park boulevard, for $36,000. The Lenair is a new three-story, six-family apartment building, under lease at a rental of $3360 per annum, on lot 51x130. The sale was for account of the Trade Realty and Building Co.

Sold to Nathan Frank, the Saxon Apartments at 5916 McPherson avenue, for $12,000, for the account of Otto L. Busch. It is a three-story building, with three apartments of five rooms each, under lease yielding an annual rental of $1740, on lot 33x130 feet.

Sold to Oscar A. Elmo, the property at 3750 Lindell boulevard, for $12,500, on lot 80x200 feet, with an old two-story double brick mansion, formerly known as the Gregory homestead.

Sold to the Trade Realty and Building Co., the residence at 5186 Raymond avenue, for $9000. It contains 10 rooms, reception hall and bath, lot 50x137.

Sold to John Ehrhardt, lot 112'6"x 128', on the south side of Folsom avenue, 50 feet east of Lawrence, for $4000.

Lot 100x140 feet on the north side of McPherson avenue, 127 feet west of Walton, for $12,500, for the account of the Kenlee Realty Co.

M. B. O'REILLY REALTY AND INVESTMENT CO.

The M. B. O'Reilly Realty and Investment Co. reports the following sales:

4772-74A Kennerly avenue, two-story brick, two flats, lot 50x126; from Laura Griswold to the Maloney Catering Co.

4774-74A Kennerly avenue, single flat, lot 25x126, from Laura Griswold to the Maloney Catering Co.

4641-41A Vernon avenue, two-story brick, modern, lot 27x100; from Laura Philippi to Maloney Catering Co.

2900 Westminster place, three-family apartment, lot 50x100; from the Maloney Catering Co. to Laura Griswold and M. Laura Phillippi. George Duff represented the Maloney Catering Co.

1421 N. Fourteenth street, two-story brick, from Frank Haller to Louis Niemsz, who bought to enlarge his lot. He owns the two buildings next south.

EASTON-TAYLOR TRUST CO.

Sold 4887 Leduc street, four-room brick cottage, to William and Lizzie Bremer.

4201 Lucky street, four and five room rock-front flat, to Walter A. Giles.

4258 North Market street, five-room frame cottage, to William M. Green.

4888 Cottage avenue, five-room, hot-water heated cottage, to Edgar L. Wilkerson.

4854 Lucky street, seven-room modern dwelling, to Thomas P. Sanders.

1809 Cora avenue, eight-room, modern, hot-water heated dwelling, to Eugene F. Cowee.

4310 North Market street, two four-room frame houses, to a client of office.

JOHN C. GRUELICH REALTY CO.

Sold 2223-25 Angelica street, one of the 10 new double flats erected under its supervision, on Angelica street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-fifth street. The building has four suites of three rooms; lot 42x126, and rents for $816 a year. This is the fifth building of the 10 erected which has been sold.

Sold for the account of the Hoepfner Investment Co. to John Henry Klockmann and wife, the consideration being $7150.

BUSH-BURNS REALTY CO.

The Bush-Burns Realty Co. reports the following sales:

4644 Berlin avenue, a new nine-room, three-story residence, lot 48x126, for the Edna Realty Co. to Mortimer Burroughs.

4308 Labadie avenue, a five-room cottage, for Henry C. Howard to Joseph Knoll.

4846 Greer avenue, a new bungalow of five large rooms, for Samuel F. Myerson Printing Co. to George Walda, $3600.

FRANCISCUS & KUNS.

Franciscus & Kuns report having closed the sale of a modern, three-story, stone-front residence, containing 15 rooms, two baths, hot-water heat and all modern conveniences, with large stable in rear; lot 50 feet by 184 feet 6 inches. Sold for Mrs. Nicholas Schavi to Mr. Hildreth and his mother, Mrs. Mary L. Barnard, for the Barnard Free Skin and Cancer Hospital, to be occupied as a nurses' home.

NICHOLAS MARTIN REALTY CO.

Sold 4852-54 Virginia avenue, a four-family flat, from the Theodore Degenhardt Building and Contracting Co. to Miss Rita Bender.

Sold 4727 Rosa avenue, a four-room and bath brick cottage, from a client to the Theodore Degenhardt Building and Contracting Co.

Churches' Task to Be Told.

"The Immediate Task of the Churches of St. Louis," will be the subject of an address Thursday night by the Rev. S. H. Woodrow at a mass meeting at the Third Baptist Church. The Rev. William J. Williamson, president of the Church Federation of St. Louis, will preside at the meeting. The Rev. S. J. Nicolls will speak on "What the Church Does for Men."

$100,000 RELAY STATION PLANNED BY GRAND-LEADER

Stix, Baer & Fuller Purchase Site for Building on Laclede Avenue.

Planning a relay station together with a garage and a warehouse, the Stix, Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Co. (the Grand-Leader), has purchased 200x182 feet on the south line of Laclede avenue west of Spring.

The cost of the improvements is estimated at $100,000.

The purchase was effected through C. H. Brooks Jr.

An ordinance providing for the erection of the buildings was introduced in the House of Delegates Friday night by Delegate John R. McCarthy. The building is to take the place of the present stable and garage of the company on Leonard avenue, which will be wrecked for the opening of Lindell boulevard through to Locust street.

Mrs. Cora Nugent, who owned the site, was represented in the transaction by the Mississippi Valley Trust Co.

M'PHERSON AVENUE LOT IS SOLD FOR $12,500

Purchaser Will Improve Site With Buildings Having Two Stores and Four Apartments.

Yesterday the Weisels-Gerhart Real Estate Co. effected the sale to Oscar A. Elmo of a lot 100x140 feet on the north side of McPherson avenue, 127 feet west of Walton, for $12,500. The sale was for account of the Kenlee Realty Co. Elmo is perfecting plans for the improvement of the site, which is situated in the heart of one of the very best residential and business sections in the West End, with two three-story buildings. Each building will contain two stores and four apartments with entrances to the latter in the center.

The dimensions of the stores will be about 22x60, while the apartments will contain six rooms and two baths, with front porch or solarium and sleeping porch in the rear. Hardwood floors, steam heating system, marble entrances and other features will embellish them.

The building, which will cost $70,000, will be under the management of the Weisels-Gerhart Real Estate Co.

DINNER AND VAUDEVILLE PLANNED BY SALESMEN

Exchange Invites Everyone Connected With Realty Trade to Entertainment Thursday Night.

Everything will be modern, homelike, comfortable, well ventilated and lighted, and with a southern exposure, at the dinner of the Salesmen's Exchange, to be given Thursday evening at the Capri Inn, Delmar boulevard and Euclid avenue. Everybody connected with the real estate trade will be welcome. There will be some vaudeville.

A. H. Frederick addressed the salesmen Friday on "Appraising and Condemning of Property." Forty-seven were present.

12-YEAR-OLD BOY WINS CORN GROWING PRIZE

Joseph Meyer Has Highest Score at Edwardsville Show.

The Madison County Corn Congress for boys was held at Edwardsville yesterday afternoon, and drew several hundred spectators, who watched the awarding of prizes totaling $450 and heard their theories on farming.

Joseph Meyer, 12 years old, living five miles north of Edwardsville in Fort Russell township, was pronounced the best corn grower. In a dry summer when the corn crop was generally pronounced a failure, he raised 68 1-8 bushels to the acre. The principal prize of $100 was awarded to him.

Walter Meyer of Worden and Charles Gillham of Wanda respectively won the prizes for the best yellow and white varieties, 10 ears of each being shown.

Walter H. Rowe of Decatur was judge.

GOV. DUNNE TO MAKE SPEECH BY TELEPHONE

Madison County Press Club Adds Feature for Meeting at Madison Dec. 6.

Gov. Dunne of Illinois will address the meeting of the Madison County Press Club at Madison, Dec. 6, by a telephone from his office at Springfield.

The arrangements are in the hands of the president, Eugene McKnight, editor of the Madison Republic. He has turned the banquet arrangements over to the women of the Domestic Science Club.

Topics of interest to the craft will be discussed by the editors and business managers of half a dozen Mail Side papers. Senator Edmond Beall of Alton, who was once a newspaperman, also will speak.

GIRLS CAMP IN WOODS

Members of Y. W. C. A. and O. V. B. Club Go to Signal Hill.

The Camp Fire Girls of the Y. W. C. A. and the O. V. B. Club, 26 in number, breakfasted Thanksgiving morning at the summer camp of the organization in Signal Hill woods. Miss Doris Evans, recently appointed physical director of the Y. W. C. A., was with the party. They left East St. Louis on a Lebanon car shortly after 7 in the morning, carrying uncooked eggs, bacon and other food. They got off at Edgemont and walked down the road and up the hill to the camp.

The Camp Fire Girls made the fire and everybody cooked her own breakfast. The Camp Fire Girls wore Indian costumes and sang Indian songs.

FLOUR MILL TO OPEN

The plant of the Edwardsville Milling Co. at Edwardsville, which has been closed since May 1, is to be opened and operated to its capacity, 700 barrels a day, in the manufacture of hard wheat flour. The property was purchased yesterday through G. Pantaleoni of St. Louis by the Maney Milling Co. of Omaha. Thomas F. Blake representing the purchasers.

The price was approximately $90,000. The mill and its equipment cost $120,000.

2 PER CENT ADDED TO INTEREST PAID BY UNION ELECTRIC

St. Louis Company Promptly Meets Order of State Public Service Commission.

The Union Electric Light & Power Co. has announced in advertisements that, beginning tomorrow, it will pay 6 per cent interest, instead of 4 per cent, on cash deposits placed with it to guarantee the payment of bills.

This announcement follows a ruling of the State Public Service Commission, handed down less than two weeks ago, to the effect that lighting companies which exact such deposits must pay interest on them at the legal rate, 6 per cent.

By its prompt compliance with this order, the Union Electric shows an attitude toward the State Commission widely different from that which it assumed toward the former City Commission. The City Commission did not have power to issue direct orders, but only to recommend legislation, and this, when passed, was resisted in court by the company.

The Laclede Gas Light Co. holds a large amount of money on deposit for its customers, consisting largely of the $5 deposits made to insure the safe keeping of meters. It has also paid 6 per cent, though at one time it paid 8.

A complaint has been filed with the commission against the West St. Louis Water and Light Co., operating in St. Louis County, to the effect that it requires $10 meter deposits and pays no interest.

The payment of interest on these deposits is not an annual affair, as at a bank. The interest is simply credited on the customer's account, and he can draw out the principal and accumulated interest when he ceases to be a customer. This amounts, in many cases, to saying good-by to the money for a lifetime.

STATE CAPITOL FUND TO GET ADDITIONAL $500,000

Attorney-General Rules Interest on Bonds and Deposits Belongs to Building Treasury.

JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 29.—Attorney-General Barker, in an opinion written for the State Capitol Commission today, held that the interest accruing upon the $3,500,000 bond issue from the date of issue, Jan. 1, 1913, until the bonds were delivered to purchasers, a period of almost a year, must be paid into the Capitol Building fund.

He also held that all interest paid by depositories upon capitol funds and the interests and surplus of the sinking fund, over and above what is necessary to meet the interest on the bonds and retire them at maturity, must be paid into the Capitol Building fund.

Chairman Stephens says under this ruling approximately $500,000 additional will be added to the capitol fund and can be used in the beautification of the grounds and decorative work on the interior of the building. The contract price for constructing the State Capitol is $2,730,300.

FIVE HURT IN AN AUTO

Merchant Probably Fatally Injured in Sedalia.

SEDALIA, Mo., Nov. 29.—A. T. Stewart, a Pilot Grove merchant, was perhaps fatally injured here tonight, suffering a fractured skull and broken arm when an automobile in which he and six others were riding turned over. G. C. Vaughan's arm and wrist were fractured and his daughters, Daisy and Kathryn Vaughan, received severe cuts and lacerations about their faces and heads. Mrs. Ira Warren was seriously hurt and is thought to be injured internally. Her husband, with an 18-months-old baby in his arms, jumped as the machine turned over and saved himself and child from serious injury.

All excepting Stewart reside in Sedalia. They were taken to Maywood Hospital.

Mr. Farmer:

You Can Help to Down the High Cost of Living.

The housekeepers of St. Louis want to get their table supplies direct from the farm, as Uncle Sam intended they should when he created the great Parcel Post. There is a big demand here for your table products—will you supply it?

A 14-word announcement in the Post-Dispatch Want Directory, under "Farm to Table," will reach practically every home in St. Louis.

Send in your announcement. Address Farm to Table Department, Post-Dispatch, St. Louis, Mo.

CONGRESSMAN IS SWORN

G. W. Loft Succeeds Tim Sullivan; Protest Filed.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—When George W. Loft, who succeeds the late Timothy D. Sullivan in the House, stepped to the dais today to take the oath of office, Speaker Clark had read a protest from some voters in his district based on legal technicalities concerning the manner of the holding of the special election to fill Sullivan's place.

The Speaker administered the oath and referred the protest to a House committee for report on the validity of the election.

Gangster Slashed, Silent.

George King, 27 years old, was found at Tenth and Market streets last night with cuts on his face and arms. He refused to give his address, or an account of his wounds, and said at the city hospital, "I'm a member of the no-snitch gang."

NEW MARKET SITE IN WEST END TO BE ANNOUNCED DEC. 19

Promoters Keep Location Secret to Make Profit by Enhanced Value of Real Estate.

West End housewives and boarding house proprietors, who hope the projected new market will reduce the cost of living, or will save them their present early morning pilgrimages to Biddle Market, will learn Dec. 19 where the new market is going to be. Thus far it is known only that it is to be in the general neighborhood of Grand avenue and Olive street.

E. M. Nevins, a real estate dealer who has taken a leading part in financing the $400,000 market enterprise, is one of the few who now know the location. While the site has been leased, the chief promoters think they might as well put themselves in a position to make some of the side profits, which are expected to result from enhanced value of the land in the neighborhood, as to have them all made by the present owners of the land. Hence the delay in the announcement.

Plans were made yesterday, at a meeting of farmers in Clayton, for a demonstration on the site of the new market Monday, Dec. 22. Speakers representing the St. Louis County Farm and Market Bureau, the local produce commission men, and the Consumers' League, will appear. The farmers, who have leased the wagon stalls in the new market advance, have thus contributed a large part of the cost of construction.

The site, it was stated at the meeting by some of the promoters, is 16 acres in area, and will accommodate 1200 wagon stalls, from which produce will be sold by the farmers direct to customers; a market house for meat, fish and poultry dealers, with tile enamel walls, marble slabs and other accessories of cleanliness; a canning factory; a cold storage plant, and a creamery, where butter will be churned daily, and fresh buttermilk will be on sale.

Shipping facilities will be much better, it is promised, that at any market now in St. Louis. There will be near connection with railroad lines.

"COWARDICE OF DOLLAR" CRITICISED BY MARSHALL

Vice-President Returns to Capital and Urges Passage of Currency Legislation.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Refreshed by a vacation in Arizona, Vice-President Marshall returned to Washington tonight ready for the grind of the opening weeks of the new session of Congress.

"Bankers I know, and on whose opinions I rely, want corrective currency legislation as soon as possible," Mr. Marshall said. "They believe no time should be lost in passing legislation that will give the people a greater confidence in their banking system and that will open the way for the average man to have equal opportunity with every other man in the use of capital and credit.

"I have no criticism of the American dollar for the luxury or the comfort that may honestly be gotten from it. My criticism is of the bluff and cowardice in the dollar. When a time of money stringency comes the banks call in the money they have loaned because they fear they will have to pay the money they have borrowed from their depositors.

"The whole country should and will welcome a speedy reinforcement of the currency system that will effectually take this cowardice out of the dollar and make it a thing to be depended upon in time of stress."

BRIDAL PAIR, EMBRACING EUGENICS IDEA, LICENSED

Marriage of Kansas Girl and Government Architect May Take Place Today.

IOLA, Kan., Nov. 29.—Marriage license was issued here tonight to Homer B. Terrill, an architect in the Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., and Miss Belle Reed of this city who have embraced the modern idea of eugenic marriages. Because of the wide publicity given the story of their engagement, both Terrill and Miss Reed tonight refused to state the hour of their wedding, but it is believed to be in prospect for tomorrow.

"The young woman whom I expect to marry," Terrill is quoted as saying, in an interview in the local press, "is very much the same as thousands of other girls of her age and station. She is not a settlement worker, school teacher, nor in any way involved in social uplift work. We merely have the same views regarding this matter of eugenics, and, after a serious discussion following our engagement, decided upon this plan of assuring ourselves that we were thoroughly fit to become husband and wife."

Carondelet Teacher Weds.

Lee Edward Mier of 7211 Michigan avenue and Miss Alice McGee of 7101 Minnesota avenue were married yesterday at 8:30. Mary and Joseph's Church by the Rev. M. S. Brennan. The bride was until a few days ago a teacher at the Lyon School in Carondelet. The couple graduated from the McKinley High School in the same class in 1907. After a wedding trip they will live at 6324A Michigan avenue.

W. C. T. U. Prepares Plans for Fast.

Plans for carrying out the call of the national president of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union in the observance of Jan. 1 as a day of fasting and prayer, will be outlined at a district meeting tomorrow afternoon of the local W. C. T. U. at the Grand Avenue United Presbyterian Church, South Grand avenue and Forest Park boulevard.

MODERN CERBERUS GREETS REPORTER AT MORGAN HOME

Midnight Doorbell Ring Brings Huge Bulldog and Cohorts From the Bushes.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Last evening the Post-Dispatch correspondent received a cable assignment to interview Pierpont Morgan, who is on this side on the subject of certain statements made by ex-President Mellan about the New Haven Railroad, Mr. Morgan was not in town, but was staying at his country place, The Well House, near Watford, in Hertfordshire, 17½ miles from London.

The train service was so bad that your correspondent was landed at Watford Station after 11, but a taxi was in waiting, and at 11:30, after a skidding drive through the pitch dark, swampy country lanes, he found himself before the darkened windows of the multimillionaire's mansion.

Three rings at the bell, at intervals of a couple of minutes, produced no effect, and just as the bell had been rung for the fourth time, there was a rustling in the bushes beside the door, and out plunged a thickset man with a club in his hand, leading, or rather being dragged along, by a ferocious and excited bulldog.

This was not the response your correspondent had expected, and as he turned around to face the Cerberus of the Morgan household, another man, younger, and in his shirt-sleeves, anxious and agitated, joined the former by way of reinforcement. They both assumed a suspicious, not to say threatening attitude, but when they were informed that it was only desired to see Mr. Morgan about an urgent cable from New York, the young man calmed down and hesitatingly agreed to take in the correspondent's card.

Feels Dog's Breath on Heels.

Although the house was completely dark, Mr. Morgan was still about, and while the young man with the card was gone the bulldog was slowly pulling the Cerberus toward the correspondent, until the animal's breath could be felt about his heels.

An assurance that the bulldog was quite harmless was so painfully in contrast with his savage demeanor and obvious intention that it only partially reassured your correspondent.

Then another body was heard pushing its way through the undergrowth at the other side of the house and out jumped another man, hastily, but incompletely clad in trousers and shirt, in a high state of alarm. He subsided when he saw the group, especially the bulldog, standing under the porch and at that moment the light in the hall was turned on, the door was opened, and the towering, massive Pierpont Morgan, the second, was seen inside.

He was at first rather ruffled, but, compared to his father, he was as mild as milk. When the correspondent's mission was explained to him he was apparently relieved, but none the less crushingly decisive in his refusal to make any comment on Mr. Mellen's statements.

Proves "a Bootless Journey."

He courteously expressed his regret that the correspondent had had a bootless journey and there was nothing to do but to retire as gracefully as possible with the bulldog sniffing ominously outside the hall door, and the Morgan household guards ostentatiously on the alert.

A procession was formed to the taxi, led by the correspondent, followed immediately by the burly individual with a club in one hand and the bulldog leader in the other, while the two partially dressed servants brought up the rear.

Not a word was spoken. The correspondent stepped, not jauntily, but hurriedly into the taxi and the bulldog gave a growl of disapointment as his last chance of a bite vanished.

It used to be thought that the war correspondent monopolised all the thrills of newspaper work, but attempting to interview J. P. Morgan II at his English country home at midnight, is far more trying to the nerves than sitting in a cafe at Sofia, while the fighting is going on at Kirkilisse.

The servants had rushed around to the front of the house to cut off the retreat of the supposed burglar, acting on a scheme prearranged for such emergencies.

MISSOURI CONVICTS TO GET 75 CENTS A DAY

Board Will Award One-Year Contracts at Minimum Figure Allowed by Law.

JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 29.—At the next meeting of the Board of Prison Inspectors, which probably will be next week, the contracts for convict labor at Missouri penitentiary will be awarded at 75 cents a day, this being the minimum fixed by law. The present per diem paid by contractors for convict labor is 70 cents. The Board of Inspectors first demanded 85 cents, later dropped to 80, and being unable to get that went to 75 cents.

James Houchin, who employs 1800 prisoners, recently entered into a five-year contract with the prison authorities at Richmond, Va., to employ convicts at 85 cents a day. Houchin says conditions are more favorable in Richmond than here.

The new contracts at the Missouri penitentiary take effect Dec. 21 and run until Jan. 1, 1918. At that date the Legislature will begin wrestling with the proposition of abolishing the contract system and substituting something else.

The Happy Finders' Chorus is growing. These are persons who have had lost articles restored through Post-Dispatch Wants.

DIVORCEE'S CHAT ON PHONE FILED BY EX-HUSBAND

Wealthy Meat Dealer Alleges Conversation Was Heard by Two Witnesses on Line.

WANTS DECREE ANNULLED

Mrs. Joseph Bender Denies She Talked With Co-Respondent; Would Retain Freedom.

In an effort to keep her freedom as the divorced wife of Joseph Bender, a wealthy meat dealer, Mrs. Estell Bender of 4237 Labadie avenue submitted counter affidavits yesterday in opposition to Bender's motion to reopen the case. The decree was awarded to Mrs. Bender by Judge Fisher several months ago. It carried with it custody of her youngest child and $40 a month alimony.

The counter affidavits are signed by Mrs. Bender, Lee Hogane, an automobile dealer, who was mentioned as co-respondent in the husband's cross-bill, and Mrs. Cora Lenox, a friend of the plaintiff. They deny statements contained in affidavits filed in behalf of Bender that after the decree was granted, Mrs. Bender was overheard in a telephone conversation with Hogane to make statements which corroborated some of the charges of her former husband.

Listened on Telephone.

Bender's affidavits were made by him, Taylor R. Young, attorney for Hogane's wife when she got a divorce by default in the same court several weeks ago, and Miss Florence Meagher, a stenographer for a firm of lawyers in the Title Guaranty Trust Building. They set forth that late in the afternoon of Oct. 4 last, Hogane called at the office of his wife's lawyer and after making certain statements volunteered to telephone Mrs. Bender and hold a conversation with her to corroborate what he said. It was agreed, Bender's affidavits recite, that Lawyer Young, Bender and Miss Meagher should listen on extension phones, Miss Meagher to take down in shorthand what was said.

Hogane, it is stated, then called Mrs. Bender on the telephone at her home and they conversed, while the lawyer, Bender and the stenographer listened. Attached to Miss Meagher's affidavit is the conversation she avers as it was heard by her. The following is an extract:

Hogane: Have you missed me any?

Mrs. Bender: Have you missed me?

Hogane: I have.

Mrs. Bender: You didn't prove it.

Hogane: Get off the wire.

Mrs. Bender: Call again; there is someone else on the wire.

Hogane: I though someone was on wire.

Mrs. Bender: No; they hung up the receiver.

The dialogue as recorded by the stenographer also shows Hogane asked if he might call to see Mrs. Bender that evening and she told him he could. Hogane then opened a conversation with the woman further showing his alleged relations with her, the stenographer's transcript reveals.

Hogane Denies Conversation.

In denial of this Hogane admits he called to see Lawyer Young in reference to paying alimony to Mrs. Hogane, but asserts he did not telephone Mrs. Bender. At the time the telephone conversation is alleged to have been held in the law office he says he was at his place of business, 1109 Gano avenue, talking with Fred Friesmeyer and William Cameron. He declares that his testimony given at the Bender divorce trial denying the defendant's accusations was true.

Mrs. Bender, in her affidavit, says she was not called to the telephone by Hogane at the time in question and no such conversation as is alleged was held by them at any time. She swears that on Oct. 4 her telephone was moved from downstairs to upstairs and she did not have the use of it until evening. As she remembers, she says, the only call she got that evening was from an employe of an art store who wished to negotiate for the purchase of some of her hand-painted china. She says Mrs. Lenox was with her all day until late in the evening. The latter's affidavit supports Mrs. Bender in this and sets forth Hogane did not telephone.

Female Detective in Case.

Mrs. Bender reaffirms there was no ground for her former husband's accusations concerning her and the automobile man.

Mr. and Mrs. Bender separated a year ago. She left his home at 2900 Harper street and moved to her present address, which is his property. It is alleged the defense employed a woman detective to shadow Mrs. Bender and that the detective moved in upstairs at the Labadie avenue address and endeavored to trap the plaintiff into visiting places where her presence might count against her in the divorce proceedings. The affidavit of the alleged detective is on file in the case in support of Bender's motion for a rehearing. The woman was not a witness at the divorce trial.

FALLS THROUGH WINDOW

Groceryman Has Mishap While Making Delivery Rounds.

Clark Hebold of 4076 Cote Brilliante avenue, a driver for the Jos. Meehan Grocery Co., 413 Franklin avenue, fell through an open cellar window while delivering groceries at the home of Andrew Bleng Jr., 3711 Page boulevard. Hebold received a gash over his right eye and the left side of his face was lacerated. He was attended by a doctor and was sent home.

Marquette, Mich., Adopts Commission.

MARQUETTE, Mich., Nov. 29.—Marquette today adopted a new charter, providing for the commission form of government. The charter was won by an overwhelming majority.

POULTRY LECTURES DRAW BIG CROWDS AT COLISEUM SHOW

Talks of Practical Value to Chicken Raisers Continue Today and Tomorrow.

The feature of the St. Louis Coliseum Poultry Show this year, aside from the excellent display of high-class fowls, was the intensely practical series of lectures by poultry experts. These lectures were largely attended, showing that poultry raisers are interested in the utility side of the question, as well as in that of breeding perfect specimens.

While the women of the country are complaining that eggs, ranging in price from 40 cents to $1 a dozen, are outrageously high and the poultry producers is retorting that anybody who buys a fresh egg at this season of the year for less than 50 cents each, is getting it at 100 per cent less than the cost of production, the poultry experts, in their lectures, demonstrated that the price of eggs can be made cheaper by proper attention to the flocks.

Eggs are always high and scarce in between October and March, because the hens do not lay well during the moulting period and the pullets do not begin laying until after the first of the year. The lecturers showed how the poultry raiser—especially the man or woman with a small flock in the back yard—can make his hens profitable by proper feeding and care.

Lectures Today and Tomorrow.

Prof. James E. Rice of Cornell University, rated as the most expert practical chicken man in the United States, delivered a series of lectures at the Coliseum Show. All of his lectures were largely attended. His final lectures will be delivered today and tomorrow, the closing days of the show. T. E. Quisenberry of the Missouri Poultry Experiment Station, also delivered several lectures on practical poultry raising. The interest in the lectures encouraged the management to engage the Coliseum for the same period next year.

With fresh eggs selling in the Eastern markets as high as 75 cents a dozen, the chances for profit in egg production are alluring to those who take enough interest in their chickens to get results. The question of housing and feeding the flock and treatment of sick fowls was discussed in a thoroughly practical and understandable way.

One of the most interesting declarations made by Prof. Rice was that the feeding of buttermilk to fowls would eliminate white diorrhea, one of the most deadly and heretofore stubborn chicken diseases. Poultrymen have found this to be the one disease that has obstinately refused to yield to treatment and it is possible that Prof. Rice's discovery will be worth millions of dollars to the poultry raisers of the country.

Newcomer Big Winner.

The exhibit of chickens, ducks, turkeys and geese was up to the expectations of the poultry show management. One of the most surprising developments of the show was the remarkable feat of Thomas Cochran, a farmer of Orrick, Mo., hitherto unknown in the local poultry world, who brought a string of White Leghorns to St. Louis and made practically a clean sweep of the prizes. He took every prize for the White Leghorn cockerels, winning oved E. Grove of Clayton, who has heretofore been considered king of the White Leghorn breeders in the West. He also made a clean sweep of the prizes in the pullet class and took first and second for pens. He won first, second, third and fourth in the hen class.

Supreme Judge W. W. Graves of Jefferson City, chief promoter of the Jefferson City Poultry Show, sent a string of his dark Cornish fowls to St. Louis and won all the prizes offered. Judge Graves, between writing of judicial opinions, takes great interest in breeding high-class chickens. The Dark Cornish are his pets but he has also a line of very perfect Barred Rocks.

L. D. Cabanne of St. Louis ran Judge Graves a close race for first honor for the pen prize, winning the red ribbon. Cabanne cleaned up on his golden duckwing game cocks and hens, while Sam Plant won all the prizes for black-breasted red game cocks, hens, pullets and coops.

Barred Rock Winners.

Judge W. W. Henderson of Bridgeton exhibited a big string of Barred Rocks and won a fair share of prizes. Charles Kleinschmidt of De Soto, Mo., was also a good winner in the Barred Rock classes, while Mrs. Cora B. Brisler of New Orleans made many winnings with her fine exhibits.

Dr. T. H. Lucas of Pattonville, Mo., had an excellent display of Buff Plymouth Rocks in the show and captured some prizes. Howard L. Pearson of Kirkwood, Mo., also made a splendid showing of Silver Laced Wyandottes and captured several prizes. Mrs. R. F. Walton of Maplewood, like Mrs. Crisler, demonstrated that women can breed high-class fowls successfully by winning several prizes with her Columbian Wyandottes. In the Rhode Island Red class, E. W. Mahood of Webster Groves, a principal of one of the St. Louis public schools, won nearly all the prizes. He has been a successful breeder for several years. Joseph Fischer of Jackson, Mo., won a large share of the White Orpington prizes.

The many display pens, which were not entered in the competition, attracted much attention.

While the poultry lovers were attending the show, admiring the big collection of beautiful birds, they found that the Woman's Equal Suffrage League was carrying its campaign into their ranks. The league has a booth at the show and the women are working among the visitors to procure support for their cause.

The hen that has to stand upon one foot in the snow to support her body while she draws the other up among her feathers to keep it from freezing, will never lay eggs that will bring 90 cents a dozen nor any other price.

News and Features of the POULTRY WORLD

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Poultry Show Calendar

Wayne County Poultry Association Greenville, Mo., Dec. 1 to 3. W. W. Creath, secretary, Greenville, Mo.

Pettis County Poultry and Corn Show, Sedalia, Mo., Dec. 1 to 6. Stuart King, secretary, Sedalia, Mo.

Jersey County Poultry Association, Jerseyville, Ill., Dec. 1 to 5. C. P. Atchison, secretary, Jerseyville, Ill.

Progressive Poultry Association—Mount Olive, Ill., Dec. 2 to 5, 1913. J. A. Schroeder, secretary, Mount Olive, Ill.

Pike County Poultry Association—Louisiana, Mo., Dec. 2 to 4, 1913. C. H. Winn, secretary, Louisiana, Mo.

Logan County Poultry Association—Lincoln, Ill., Dec. 2 to 5. A. J. Mahan, secretary, Lincoln, Ill.

Arkansas Branch A. P. A. State Show—Rogers, Ark., Dec. 4 to 9. Larry E. Palm, secretary, Rogers, Ark.

Newton County Poultry Association—Neosho, Mo., Dec. 8 to 13. A. J. Miller, secretary, Neosho, Mo.

River Valley Poultry Show—Trenton, Mo., Dec. 7 to 20, 1913. For information address V. O. Hobbs, Trenton, Mo.

La Belle Poultry Show—La Belle, Mo., Dec. 10 to 13, 1913. L. G. Lamt, secretary, La Belle, Mo.

Alton Poultry Association—Alton, Ill., Dec. 10 to 13, 1913. A. F. Cousley, secretary, Alton, Ill.

Whitesville Poultry Association—Whitesville, Mo., Dec. 15 to 17. A. M. Peter, secretary, Whitesville, Mo.

Missouri State Poultry Show—Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 11 to 16, 1913. T. E. Quisenberry, secretary, Mountain Grove, Mo.

Jefferson City Poultry Association. Jefferson City, Mo., Dec. 16 to 19. William Bauer, secretary, Jefferson City, Mo.

Jackson County Poultry Show—Murphysboro, Ill., Dec. 16 to 19. Joseph Doyle, judge. Emmett H. Roberts, secretary, Murphysboro, Ill.

Girard Poultry Show—Girard, Ill., Dec. 16 to 19, 1913. H. C. Rathgeber, secretary, Girard, Ill.

Bourbon County Poultry Association, Fort Scott, Kan., Dec. 17 to 19. C. S. Frary, Secretary, Fort Scott, Kan.

The Carnegie Poultry Breeders' Association, Carnegie, Ok., Dec. 12 to 14. P. C. Dawson, secretary, Carnegie, Ok.

Arkansas Valley Poultry Association, Hutchinson, Kan., Jan. 5 to 11. C. C. Cronhardt, superintendent, Hutchinson, Kan.

Matteon Fanciers' Association—Mattoon, Ill., Jan. 13 to 17. W. H. Morris, secretary, Mattoon, Ill.

Boone County Poultry Association—Columbia, Mo., Jan. 13 to 17. Miss Elizabeth Hodge, secretary, Columbia, Mo.

Secretaries desiring their shows listed in this calendar kindly address Poultry Editor, Post-Dispatch, St. Louis, Mo.

The first and last and many other points in the chicken business is to be sure that your stock and facilities are free from any grave defects. Remember the old truth "That whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap."

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Personally appeared Geo. S. Champlin, to me well known, and made oath that the foregoing statement by him subscribed is true.

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THIS single-comb leghorn male, Major, was declared winner of the brown leghorn sweepstakes at the Coliseum Poultry Show in St. Louis last week. The Major comes from a heavy egg-laying sire and dam and has the desired exhibition and utility qualities well combined. The Major is owned by Col. T. H. Woods of Fayette, Mo.

POULTRY PROBLEMS SOLVED.

Breeding.

I have a white leghorn male (rose comb) and four single-comb white leghorn pullets. Would you advise me to breed them together, or would you get a single-comb white leghorn male? I got these for a start and would like to know which of the two kinds is the best to keep and what the results would be if I mixed them.—Mrs. C. H., East St. Louis, Ill.

It is best to keep one breed of chickens. By breeding a rose-comb male to single-comb females, your flock would not be uniform. Either rose or single comb white leghorns are good varieties. Would suggest that you dispose of the rose-comb male and secure a single-comb male to breed to your pullets.

Morning Mash.

Will you kindly publish a good morning mash for about two dozen hens?—F. M. R., Shrewsberry Park, Mo.

Three parts wheat bran, one part cornmeal, one part cheap flour, one part ground alfalfa and one part meat scraps. This mash can be fed dry from a hopper, or moistened and fed crumbly.

Yellow Lobes.

Kindly tell me what is the matter with my chickens? I have five barred Plymouth Rocks with yellow ear lobes. They are fat, eat well and I have never seen anything like it before.—J. A. S., Edwardsville, Ill.

The condition you describe is frequently caused by lice and mites absorbing the blood from fowls and causing the lobes to become pale and yellow. It is also caused by confinement, lack of exercise and blood-making food. Examine your birds carefully and rid them of lice. Give them plenty of green feed and a liberal supply of meat scrap. Feed them grain in clean litter and make them scratch for it. This, with clean quarters and plenty of fresh water will cause their heads to resume their natural color.

Comparison Judging.

What must a cockerel weigh to compete for prizes at a show? What other requirements are necessary? I understand a cock must weigh more than eight pounds. Please explain the comparison method of judging. Must whits birds be washed before sending them to the show?—L. B. P., Rogers, Ark.

The weight of the male depends on the variety and breed shown. The standard calls for different weights for the different breeds, and you do not state what variety you intend to exhibit. The comparison method of judging is the same as the score-card method, except that the different sections of the birds in a class are compared by the judge instead of cutting for defects and making a memorandum of the cuts on a card. It adds to the appearance of white birds to wash them before sending them to the show, and, of course, helps to win awards.

Cholera.

Kindly advise me of a cure for cholera. What are the symptoms of the disease? Also what disease have chickens when they open their mouths and seem to be choking?—S. R., St. Louis.

The symptoms of cholera include great thirst and the voiding of feces, of which the part normally white is yellow. This is not a sure indication of the disease, for the same thing may occur as a result of other disorders. Diarrhea is generally a prominent symptom, the droppings being thin and frequent, and in the later stages the yellow portion may change to green; the fowl becomes depressed, the feathers become ruffled, the comb becomes pale or very dark, and the bird has a poor appetite. Sometimes the disease runs rapidly through a flock, destroying the greater part of the birds in a week, or it may assume a more chronic form, extend slowly and remain on the premises for several weeks or months. Fowls affected with the disease usually die within 36 hours. In most cases medical treatment has proven unsatisfactory. The best method of combating the disease is to carry out strict sanitary precautions as regards cleanliness and disinfection and totally destroy the carcasses of dead birds and droppings by burning them. Disinfect the buildings and runs with a 5 per cent colution of carbolic acid and then whitewash.

Lack of Meat.

On two occasions in a few months I have found in the mornings on the dropping board in my henhouse (have all hens) a thin membraneous yellowish-white substance in elongated form. It looks like it might be the shell of an egg, unhardened. Can you tell me what this is? What are the small round seeds I inclose? I find them in my ready-mixed hen feed.—J. B. R., St. Louis.

The description of the droppings you found would indicate that you are not feeding your hens enough meat. Too much carbohydrates cause the droppings to appear in this manner. Feed your hens a little beef scrap three times a week and plenty of green feed all the time and you will not find this condition in a short time. The seeds you inclose are weed seeds.

The truth is that it is possible to get a hen so fat she cannot lay, and it is also possible to get a hen so poor she cannot lay. There is a happy medium between these two extremes which allows the hen to become a useful layer. When a hen gets too fat she becomes indolent and lazy, the whole system becomes sluggish, digestion and assimilation are poor, the egg-producing organs become clogged and crowded with fat, and the fowl is useless. The eggs laid, if any, are small, odd-shaped, double or soft-shell. Unless the hen is made to exercise and use up this fat, she will soon succumb to the disease. The small breeds being more active than the large breeds, do not get fat as easily, and, hence, they can be fed with less danger of fattening them; but the heavy breeds must be fed carefully or they will soon get too fat to lay.

Don't delay about buying that male bird which you are going to need to head one of your pens. The longer you delay the fewer will be the birds from which your selection can be made, the higher will be the price which you must pay and the greater the chance that your rival will get the bird which you desire.

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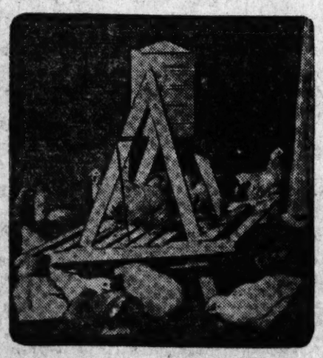
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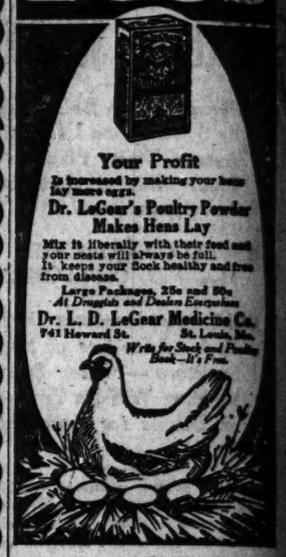
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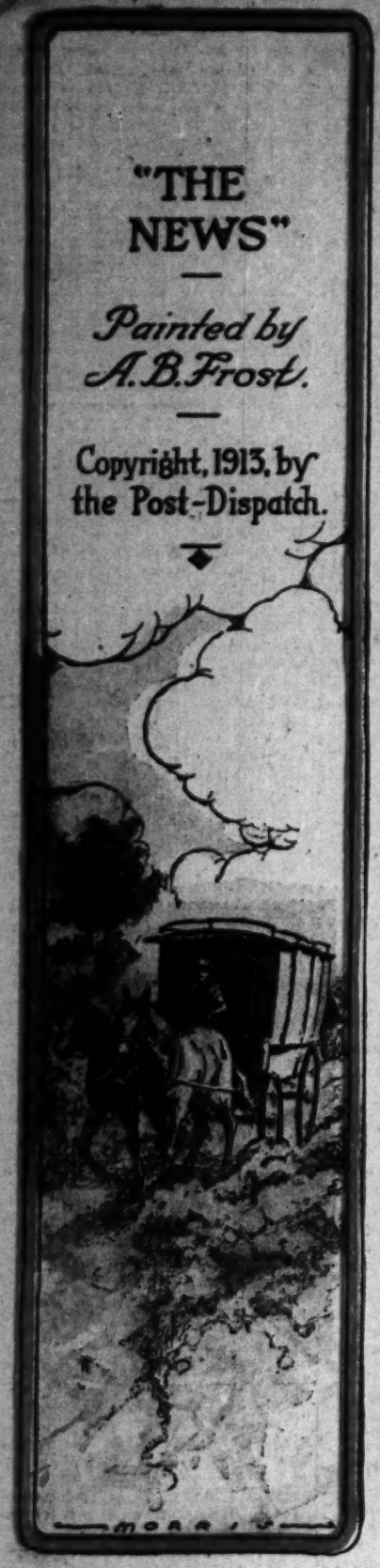
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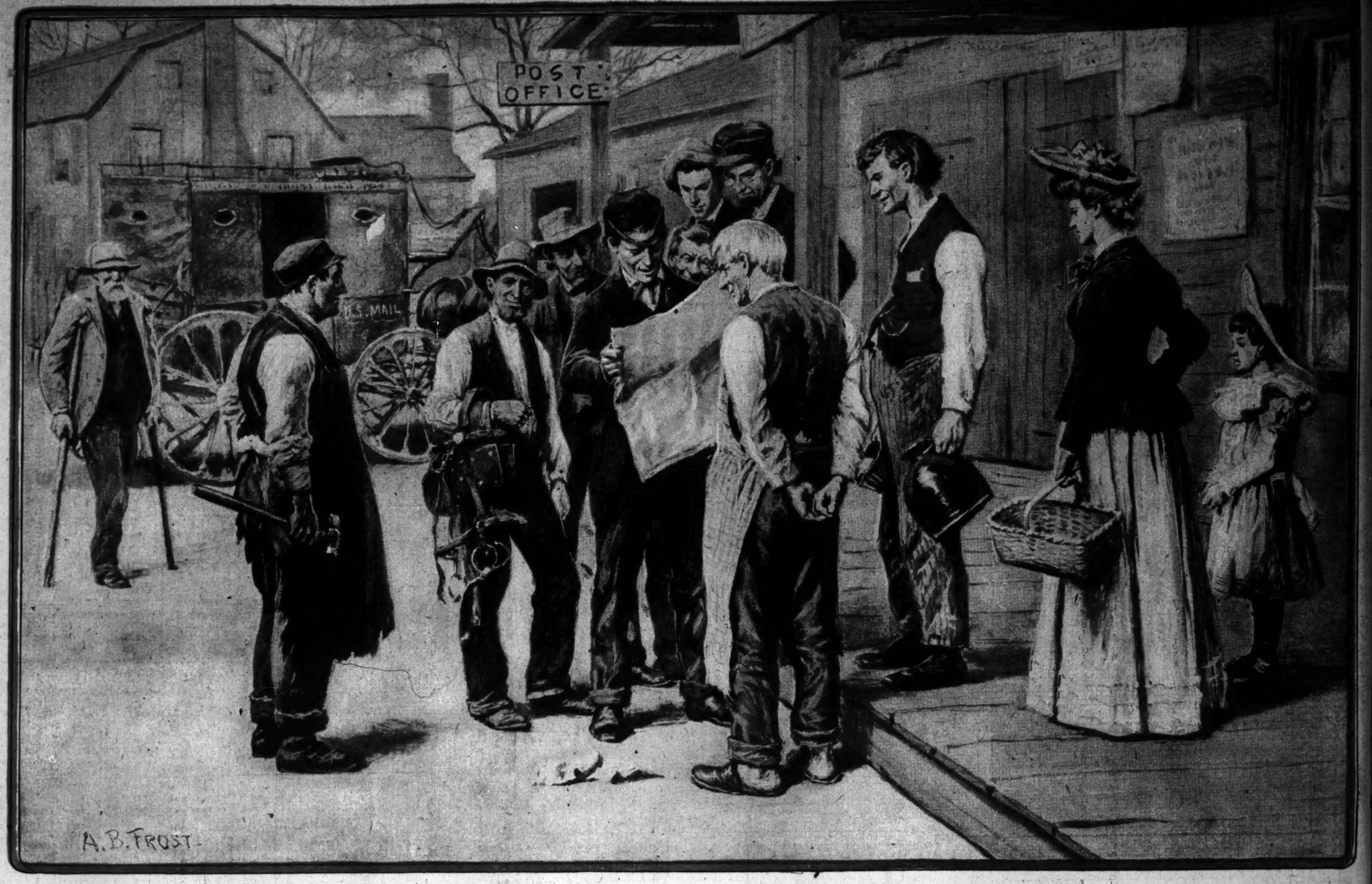
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Sick and Broken Down When He

the Moonshiners and Southern Mountaineers

St. Louisan Tells of Eight Years Exile Among

Horace Kephart, Formerly Head of the Mercantile Library, Who, Upon His Retirement From That Place in 1905, Went Among the Peaks of North Carolina, Tennessee and Kentucky to Get a Taste of the Primitive, Publishes His Observations in a Brilliant and Interesting Book Called "Our Southern Highlanders."

WHEN Horace Kephart gave up his place as head of the Mercantile Library eight years ago and left St. Louis, broken in health, he almost completely dropped out of sight so far as old acquaintances here were concerned. In search of an outdoor existence that would build up his bodily strength, he went to the Smoky Mountains, where he has lived among the primitive hill folk of South Carolina ever since.

He found health and he also found a wealth of experiences of which he has written in a big, sympathetic manner in a book called "Our Southern Highlanders." The Outing Co. published the book and gave the Post-Dispatch permission to reprint extracts from it.

Kephart found among the mountaineers the best Anglo-Saxon blood and the purest Anglo-Saxon speech in the world today. These people are descendants of old Virginia pioneers. They have been isolated in their mountain fastnesses for 200 years. When the world about them changed, they did not change. Their language, which sounds grotesque in modern ears, was the language of the best English-speaking people of two centuries ago, and their ideas are reflections of the ideas of the English colonists of America.

The writer points out that the average American knows less of these people than of inhabitants of remote countries. This is reciprocal on the part of the mountaineers, for they know as little about us as we know of them. To them other Americans are "furriners" and real foreigners are "outlandish." Kephart begins with his first location in that country:

"SO, casting about for a biding place that would fill such needs, I picked out the upper settlement of Hazel Creek, far up under the lee of the Smoky Mountains that I had learned so little about. On the edge of this settlement, scant two miles from the postoffice of Medlin, there was a copper mine, long disused on account of litigation, and I got permission to occupy one of its abandoned cabins.

"A mountain settlement consists of all who get their mail at the same place. Ours was made up of 42 households (about two hundred souls) scattered over an area eight miles long by two wide. These are air-line measurements. All roads and trails 'kiggled and wiggled around' so that some families were several miles from a neighbor. Fifteen homes had no wagon road, and could be reached by no vehicle other than a narrow sled. Quill Rose had not even a sledpath, but journeyed full five miles by trail to the nearest wagon road.

"Medlin itself comprised two little stores built of rough planks and bearing no signs, a corn mill and four dwellings. A mile and a half away was the log schoolhouse, which, once or twice a month, served also as church. Scattered about the settlement were seven tiny tubmills for grinding corn, some of them mere open sheds with a capacity of about a bushel a day. Most of the dwellings were built of logs. Two or three, only, were weatherboarded frame houses and attained the dignity of a story and a half.

"In the group that gathered at mail time I often was solicited to 'back' envelopes, give out the news, or decipher letters for men who could not read. Several times, in the Postmaster's absence, I registered letters for myself, or for someone else, the law of the nation being suspended by general consent.

"Our stores, as I have said, were small, yet many of their shelves were empty. Oftentimes there was no flour to be had, no meat, cereals, canned goods, coffee, sugar or oil. It excited no comment at all when Old Pete would lean across his bare counter and lament that 'Thar's lots o' folks a'huntin' round hyur for lard, and I ain't got none.'

"I have seen the time when our neighborhood could get no salt nor tobacco without making a 24-mile trip over the mountain and back, in the dead of winter. This was due, partly, to the state of the roads, and to the fact that there would be no wagon available for weeks at a time. Wagoning, by the way, was no sinecure. Often it meant to chop a fallen tree out of the road, and then, with handspikes, 'man-power the log out of the way.' Sometimes an axle would break (far up on the mountain, of course); then a tree must be felled and a new axle made on the spot from the green wood, with no tools but an ax and jacknife.

"Trade was mostly by barter, in which 'coon' skins and ginseng had the same rank as in the days of Davy Crockett and Daniel Boone. Long credits were given on anticipated crops; but the risks were great and the market limited by local consumption, as it did not pay to haul bulky commodities to the railroad. Hence it was self-preservation for the storekeeper to carry only a slender stock of essentials and take pains to have little left through unproductive times.



Lonely cabin in the hills, a typical mountain home.

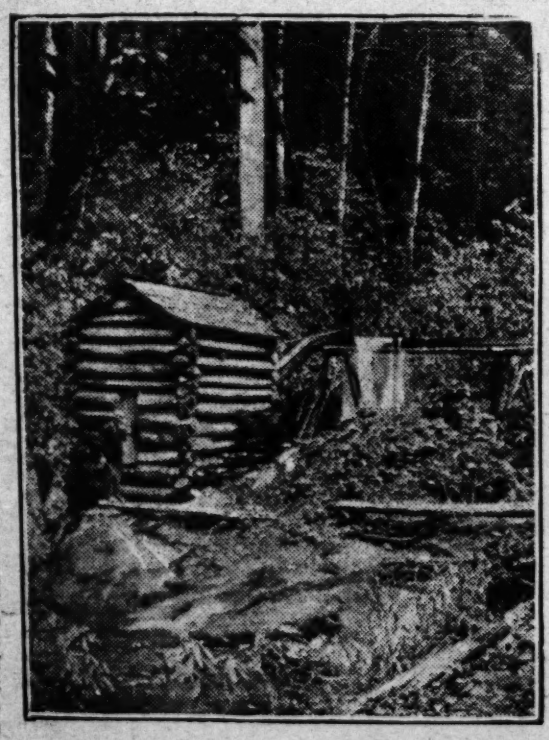
"As a rule, credit would not be asked so long as anything at all could be offered in trade. When Bill took the last quart of meal from the house, as rations for a bear hunt, his patient Marg walked five miles to the store with a skinny old chicken, last of the flock, and offered to barter it for 'a dustin' o' salt.' There was not a bite in her house beyond potatoes, and 'taters don't go good 'thout salt.'

"In our primitive community there were no trades, no professions. Every man was his own farmer, blacksmith, gunsmith, carpenter, cobbler, miller, tinker. Someone in his family, or a near neighbor, served him as barber and dentist, and would make him a coffin when he died. One farmer was also the wagoner of the district, as well as storekeeper, magistrate, veterinarian and accoucheur. He also owned the only 'tooth-pullers' in the settlement; a pair of universal forceps that he designed, forged and wielded with barbaric grit. His wife kept the only boarding house for leagues around. Truly an accomplished couple!"



HORACE KEPHART,
formerly head of the Mercantile Library, St. Louis, in his mountain camp.

Kephart gives us a graphic story of a bear hunt in the Big Smokies. The black bear thrives there, and, while he is not as game and as pugnacious as the grizzly, the conditions under which he must be hunted make the sport as exciting as it is in the Rockies. The first day out, the author did not get sight of a bear on his stand, and he finally made his way back to the cabin. Soon his companions appeared carrying a victim, the story of which illuminatingly explains a law of the woods that all fair-minded folk will approve on reading it:



Primitive mill in which mountaineers make their own corn meal.

"The hunters showed no elation—in fact, they looked sheepish—and I suspected a nigger in the woodpile.

"'How's this? I didn't hear any drive.'

"'There wan't none.'

"'Then where did you get your bear?'

"'In one of Wit Hensley's traps, dum him! Boys, I wish 't we had roasted the temper outen them trap-springs, like we talked o' doin'.'

"'Was the bear alive?'

"'Live as hot coal. See the pup's head.'

"I examined Coaly, who looked sick. The flesh was torn from his lower jaw and hung down a couple of inches. Two holes in the top of his head showed where the bear's tusks had tried to crack his skull.

"All of us were indignant at the setter of the trap. It had been hidden in a trail, with no sign to warn a man from stepping into it. In Tennessee, I was told, it is a penitentiary offense to set out a bear trap. We agreed that a similar law ought to be passed as soon as possible in North Carolina.

"'It was only two years ago,' said Granville to me, 'that Jasper Millington, an old man living on the Tennessee side, started across the mountain to get work at the Everett mine, where you live. Not fur from where we are now he stepped into a bear trap that was hid in the leaves, like this one. It broke his leg and he starved to death in it.'

"Despite our indignation meeting, it was decided to carry the trapped bear's hide to Hensley, and for us to use only the meat as recompense for trouble, to say nothing of risk to life and limb. Such is the mountaineer's regard for property rights!

"Two years after this hunt, a friend and I spent three summer months in this same old cabin on top of Smoky. When Andy had to return North he left with me, for sale, a 30-30 carbine, as he had more guns than he needed. I showed this carbine to Quill Rose, and the old hunter said: 'I don't like them power guns; you could shoot clar through a bear and kill your dog on the other side.' The next day I sold the weapon to Granville Calhoun. Within a short time, word came from Granville's father that 'Old Reelfoot' was despoiling his orchard. This Reelfoot was a large bear, whose cunning had defied our best hunters for five or six years. He got his name from the fact that he 'reeled' or twisted his hind feet in walking, as some horses do, leaving a peculiar track. This seems rather common among old bears, for I have known of severel 'reelfoots' in other and widely separated regions.

"Cable and his dogs were sent for. A drive was made, and the bear was actually caught within a few rods of old Mr. Calhoun's stable. His teeth were drawn to the gums, and as he could no longer kill hogs, he had come down to an apple diet. He was large-framed, but very poor. The only hunters on the spot were Granville, with the 30-30, and a Northern lumberman named Hastings, with a Luger carbine. After two or three shots had wounded the bear, he rose on his hind feet and made for Granville. A 30-30 bullet went clear through the beast at the very instant that Coaly, who was unseen, jumped up on the log behind it, and the missile gave both animals their death wound."

True to his inquisitive turn of mind, Kephart bearded (in a friendly way, of course) the moonshiner in his lair. In fact, he became quite chummy with a number of the genus and he got their point of view, which he reproduces most entertainingly. He asked one what would happen if a hunter should accidentally stumble upon a "still." He replied:

"'Waal, sir, I'll tell you whut they'd do. They'd fust-place ask you some questions about yourself, and whut you uns was doin' in that thar neck o' woods. Then they'd git you to do some triflin' work about the still—feed the furnace, or stir the mash—jest so 's 't they could prove that you took a hand in it your own self.'

"'What good would that do?'

"'Hit would make you one o' them in the eyes of the law.'

"'I see. But, really, doesn't that seem rather childish? I could easily convince any court that I did it under compulsion, for that's what it would amount to.'

"'I reckon you-uns would find a United States Court purty hard to convince. The Judge 'd right up and want to know why you let grass go to seed afore you came and informed on them.'

"He paused, watched my expression, and then continued quizzically: 'I reckon you wouldn't be in no great hurry to do that.'

"'No! Then, if I stirred the mash and sampled their liquor, nobody would be likely to mistreat me?'

"'Shucks! Why, man, whut could they gain by hurtin' you? At the wust, s'posin' they was convicted by your own evidence, they'd only git a month or two in the pen. So why should they murder you and get hung for it? Hit's all 'tarnal foolishness, the notions some folks has!'

"'And you think the Government tax on whisky is an imposition?'

"'Hit is, under some sarcumstances.'

"My guest stretched his legs, and 'jedgmatically' proceeded to enlighten me.

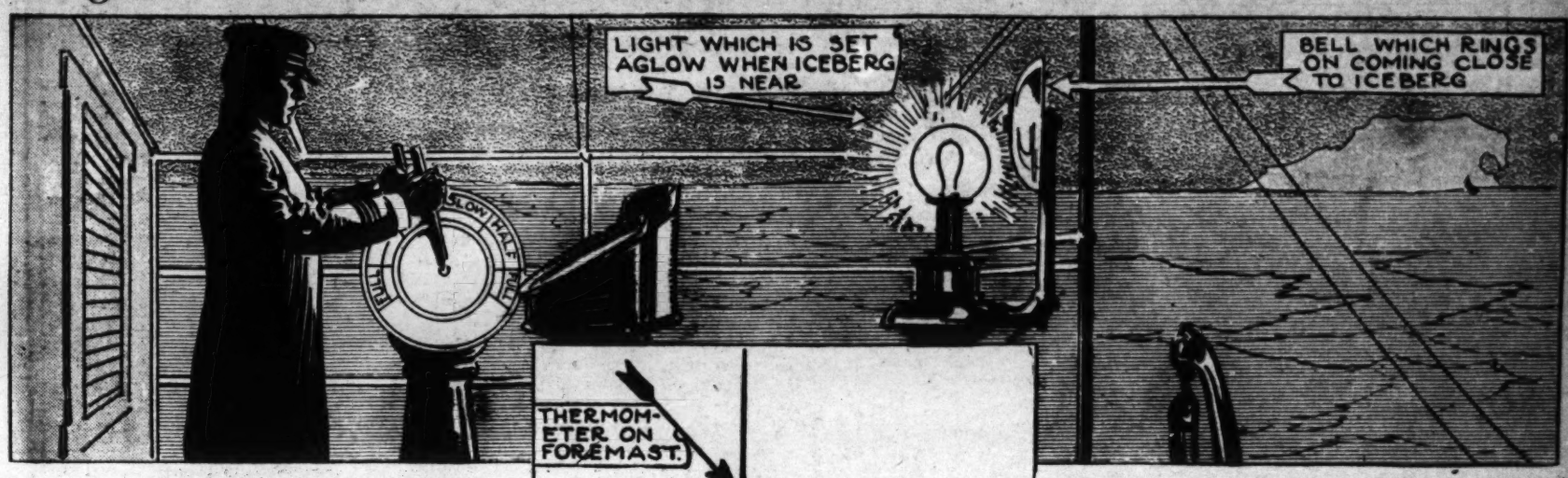
"'Thar's plenty o' men and women grown, in these mountains, who don't know that the Government is ary thing but a President in a biled shirt who commands two-three judges and a gang o' revenue officers. They know thar's a President, because the men folks 's seed his pictur. They've heerd tell about the judges, and they've seed the reveners in flesh and blood. They believe in supportin' the Government, because hit's the law. Nobody refuses to pay his taxes, for taxes is fair and squar'. Taxes cost mebbe three cents on the dollar; and that's all right. But revenue costs a dollar and ten cents on twenty cents' worth o' liquor; and that's robbin' the people with a gun to their faces.'

"My friend continues: 'Whisky means more to us mountain folks than hit does to folks in town, whar thar's drug stores and doctors. Let ary thing go wrong in the fam'ly—fever or snake bite or somethin'—and we can't git a doctor up hyar less'n three days; and its costs scand'lous. The only medicines we-uns has is yerbs, which customarily ain't no good 'thout a leetle grain o' whisky. Nor, th'r ain't no saloons allowed in all these western counties. The nighest State dispensary, even, is 60 miles away. The law wunt let us have liquor shipped to use from anywhars in the State. If we git

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Frigidometer Invented to Prevent Second Titanic Disaster



How Thermometers in the Sea and Air Catch First Hint of Iceberg's Presence and Give Warning to Ship's Officers.

Water and Air Thermometers Sound Alarm Gong and Light Lamp Whenever Vessel Approaches Iceberg

SINCE the Titanic disaster, maritime scientists have turned their attention more than ever to the problem of protecting ships from floating icebergs, and some of them seem to have solved it through an instrument that will raise an automatic alarm when the peril approaches. The mechanism, which is called a frigidometer, lights a lamp and starts a big gong ringing, and neither warning will cease so long as the vessel remains in the danger zone.

The basic principle, of course, is the water and air temperature. Proximity to an iceberg is always indicated by a lowering of the temperature of the air or water, and usually of both. It has been customary for ships in the iceberg belt to make hourly tests of the water, the most ordinary being to draw buckets of water from the stem and stern of the ship simultaneously and put thermometers into them. But this method has not proven generally satisfactory, partly because of the great speed of modern liners and partly because of uncertainty in the temperature of the water itself.

Capt. C. P. C. Johnson, Canadian Inspector of Lighthouses, has made tests which show that very often the Arctic current circulates into the gulf stream for great distances, causing rapid changes of temperature. In some tests Johnson found water at the bow of a boat to have a temperature of 60 and at the stern a temperature of 48.

A Scotchman named McNab is said to be the inventor of the frigidometer. It is so delicate that a sudden lowering of the temperature in either sea or air, or in both, flashes the danger lamp and sets the gong ringing.

The apparatus has three parts—the alarm, the sea thermometer and the air thermometer. The sea thermometer is installed in intake pipes at a considerable depth in the water, and the atmospheric thermometer is at the top of the foremast. Both are connected with the alarm by electric wiring.

Waterproof Shoes Have Aluminum Soles

SHOES with aluminum soles are now being made for farmers and laborers, according to the Popular Science Monthly. The top of the shoe is of leather and the sole is a continuous piece of aluminum, which covers the entire bottom and folds up along the sides. Between the foot and the metal is a heavy felt insole, and the heel has a core of wood to decrease its weight.

Lack of flexibility is made up for by a pad under the ball of the foot which gives a buoyant roll to the step and prevents flat-footed walking. Aluminum is used because it combines lightness with durability.

Would Make Ships Unsinkable

AN old Welch sea captain has invented an apparatus which is being tested in the harbor at Llannelly in Wales and which, if successful, is expected to make vessels practically unsinkable. It is simply a huge life-preserver, belted around the ship at the water line. It is in the shape of a triangular bulge and is divided into numerous compartments, all of which contain compressed air.

The harbor master is said to have found he could not sink a model the captain designed, no matter how heavily it was overloaded or how much the hull was flooded. The inventor says it would not add more than 5 per cent to the cost of a vessel.

Armored Auto for African Wars

THE Spanish army has devised an armored war automobile which is said to be giving invaluable service in the African campaigns against mutinous tribesmen. The machine is literally a fort on wheels and a fort that can move rapidly from place to place. It is particularly valuable in invading the strongholds of guerilla bands.

The car is covered with plate strong enough to turn a bullet from the highest power army rifle. Inside it is divided into three compartments, a cab for the driver, a "block house" for sharpshooters and a magazine for arms and ammunition. The roof and portholes, when open, are shielded and the car is thought to be practically inaccessible, even if overwhelmed by a force of natives.

The whole affair weighs about nine and one-half tons. It is driven by a 40-horsepower gasoline motor of the standard automobile type. It is run in every respect like an ordinary motor truck.

Perfects Mechanical Language Teacher

THE phonograph method of teaching languages which has been adopted for some time in this country is expected to receive a new impetus from a recent Paris invention. It obviates the difficulty of associating the sight of the written word with its sound, always a defect of the phonographic language method.

The words spoken by the new machine appear simultaneously on a disc under a metal pointer as they are printed on a roll of paper. The paper unwinds automatically, so as to keep step with the speaking mechanism. The rolls of paper and the phonograph record can be kept together in a special receptacle. The inventors say they can teach music in the same way and are preparing discs and other material for that purpose.

Air Wave Wound Theory Disproved

CINEMATOGRAPHIC pictures of bones smashed by rifle bullets prove that the splintering takes place a relatively long time after the passage of the projectile. Arguing from this, H. Lehmann propounded the theory that the smashing was due not to the direct impact of the bullet, but to the waves and whirlwinds produced in the air by its passage.

Prof. G. Cranz of the Technical Military Academy, Berlin, in collaboration with P. A. Gunther, has just made a series of interesting tests of this theory, which they prove to be erroneous. Messrs. Cranz and Gunther prepared a sheet of soft, wet clay 18 1-3 inches square and 1 1-3 inches thick, which they placed upright in a frame of wood perpendicular to the line of fire. Through the clay they bored three round holes, the first 1-12 of an inch in diameter, the second just the diameter of the bullet, the third 4-5 of an inch in diameter. A bullet passing through the first hole must necessarily enlarge it; a bullet passing through the second hole must just touch its sides, and a bullet passing through he third hole must clear its sides freely without touching. Examination of the holes after the passage of the bullets showed that the shattering effects were marked upon the smallest hole, were very feeble upon the second and nil upon the largest. Similar experiments with other materials gave the same result.

From all of which they deduce the theory that the shattering is caused by the actual impact of the bullet and not by any waves of air in its wake.

More Familiar Things That Science Can't Explain

HOW sunlight turns grapes into sugar.

WHY the sap of trees is not frozen in winter.

WHY it is that many microbes can be boiled and still live.

HOW a bat can see to catch mosquitoes on a pitch dark night.

BY what sense a pigeon finds its way home from a great distance.

HOW the pain of a prick is carried by the nerves from the finger tip to the brain.

HOW seeds sown in the fall resist the frosts of winter and germinate as soon as spring comes.

HOW a chicken ten seconds after coming out of its egg knows how to balance itself on its feet, run about, and peck food.

HOW it is that, if the earth is as old as we have every reason to believe, the radium in it has not yet given off all its energy, but seems to be discharging just as much as it ever gave.

Belgian Has Way to Manufacture Meat

EUROPEAN scientists are much interested in a process of making "artificial meat," which has been perfected recently by M. Effront, a Belgian chemist. If the discovery is all that is claimed for it, it may be of great importance in the "cost of living" problem.

Effront makes use of residues of manufactures which heretofore have been considered practically useless, such as brewery and distillery refuse products. From these he extracts albumen. The result is a sort of pastry which has very much the taste of meat and is said to have even greater food value.

At Brussels physicians have experimented on patients with the extract and report the results as highly satisfactory. Effront is working on a similar extract that is made from fodder as the raw material.

Bayonet Completes Ranger's Hand Phone

THE United States Forest Service has found a way to employ ordinary rifle bayonets in the hand-telephone equipment of the forest rangers. To call headquarters, the ranger thrusts the point of his bayonet into the ground. A light wire is attached to it and the wire is then thrown across the nearest telephone wire, thus completing the circuit. The ranger can get headquarters on his portable telephone in a very few minutes.

Baby Cradle for Automobiles

A PRACTICAL baby cradle for automobiles has been invented by a Detroit motorist. A flat-bottom casing is fastened to spring supports, which, in turn, are swung from the forward seat of the car. A baby can ride in it without danger of being jostled out, for the swinging bottom accommodates itself to the motion of the car.

St. Louisan Tells of Eight Years Exile Among

the Moonshiners and Southern Mountaineers

Sick and Broken Down When He Went Among Them, Their Active Life, to Which He Has Adjusted Himself, Has Built Him Up Until He Is Able to Endure the Hardships of That Country Without Inconvenience — The People Are Descendants of Virginia Pioneers and Still Retain Speech Idioms Elsewhere Obsolete 200 Years.

it sent to us from outside the State it has to come by express—and reg-lar old pop-skull it is, too. So, to be good, law-abiding citizens, we-uns must travel back and forth at a heap of expense, or pay express rates on pizened liquor—and we are too durned poor to do ary one or t'other.'

"Our terms moonshiners and moonshining are not used in the mountains. Here an illicit distiller is called a blockader, his business blockading, and the product is blockade liquor. Just as the smugglers of old Britain called themselves free traders, thereby proclaiming that they risked and fought for a principle, so the moonshiner considers himself simply a blockade runner dealing in contraband. His offense is only malum prohibitum, not malum in se.

"As a rule, the mountain people have no compunctions about drinking, their ideas on this, as on other matters of conduct, being those current everywhere in the eighteenth century. Men, women and children drink whisky in family concert. I have seen undiluted spirits drunk, a spoonful at a time, by a babe that was still at the breast, and she never batted an eye (when I protested that raw whisky would ruin the infant's stomach, the mother replied with widened eyes: 'Why, if there's liquor about and she don't git none, she jist roars!'). In spite of this, taking the mountain people by and large, they are an abstemious race. In drinking, as in everything else, this is the Land of Do Without. Comparatively few highlanders see liquor oftener than once or twice a month. The lumberjacks and townspeople get most of the output.

"Here is another significant fact: as regards personal property, I do not know any race in the world that is more honest than our backwoodsmen of the Southern mountains. As soon as you leave the railroad you enter a land where sneakthieves are rare and burglars almost unheard of. In my own county and all those adjoining it there has been only one case of highway robbery and only one of murder for money, so far as I can learn, in the past 40 years.

"The mountain code of conduct is a curious mixture of savagery and civility. One man will kill another over a pig or a panel of fence—not for the property's sake, but because of hot words ensuing—and he will 'come clear' in court because every fellow on the jury feels he would have done the same thing himself under similar provocation; yet these very men, vengeful and cruel though they are, regard hospitality as a sacred duty toward wayfarers of any degree, and the bare idea of stealing from a stranger would excite their instant loathing or white-hot scorn.



Hill etiquette requires you to leave your gun at the door.

"And there are 'manners' in the rudest community; customs and rules of conduct that it is well to learn before one goes far ahead. For example, when you stop at a mountain cabin, if no dogs sound an alarm, do not walk up to the door and knock. You are expected to call out 'Hello!' until someone comes to inspect you. None but the most intimate neighbors neglect this usage, and there is mighty good reason back of it in a land where the path to one's door may be a warpath.

"If you are armed as a hunter do not fail to remove the cartridges from the gun, in your host's presence, before you set foot on his porch. Then give him the weapon, or stand it in a corner or hang it up in plain view. Even our Sheriff, when he stopped with us, would lay his revolver on the mantel shelf and leave it there until he went his way. If you think a moment you can see the courtesy of such an act. It proves that the guest puts implicit trust in the honor of his host and in his ability to protect all within his house. There never has been a case in which such trust was violated.

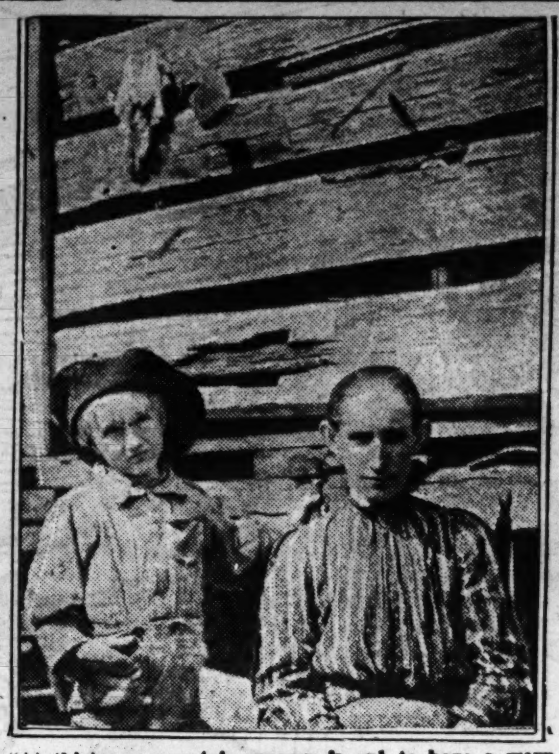
"I knew a traveler, who, spending the night in a one-room cabin, was fool enough (I can use no milder term) to thrust a loaded revolver under his pillow when he went to bed. In the morning his weapon was still there, but empty, and its cartridges lay conspicuously on a table across the room. Nobody said a word about the incident; the hint was left to soak in.

"A fat mountaineer is a curiosity. The hill folk even seem to affect a slender type of comeliness. In Alice MacGowan's 'Judith of the Cumberlands,' old Jopthah Turentine says of one of his sons: 'I named that boy after the finest man that ever walked God's green earth—and then the fool had to go and git fat on me! Think of me with a fat son! I allers did hold that a fat woman was bad enough, but a fat man ort p'intedly to be led out and killed.'

"Spartan diet does not put on flesh. Still, it should be noted that long legs, baggy clothing and scantiness or lack of underwear make people seem thinner than they really are. Our highlanders are conspicuously a tall race. Out of 76 men that I have listed just as they occurred to me, but four are below average American height and only two are fat. About two-thirds of them are brawny or sinewy fellows of great endurance. The others generally are slab-sided, stoop-shouldered, but withey. The townsfolk and the valley farmers, being better nourished and more observant of the prime laws of wholesome living, are noticeably superior in appearance, but not in stamina.

"Nearly all males of the back country have a grave and deliberate bearing. They travel with the long, sure-footed stride of the born woodsman, not graceful and lithe like a moccasined Indian (their coarse brogans forbid it), but shambling as if every joint had too much play. There is nothing about them to suggest the Swiss or Tyrolean mountaineers; rather they resemble the gillies of the Scotch Highlands. Generally they are lean-faced, sallow, level-browed, with rather high cheek bones. Gray eyes predominate, sometimes vacuous, but oftener hard, searching, crafty—the feral eyes of primitive man.

"From infancy these people have been schooled to dissimulate and hide emotions, and ordinarily their faces



"At thirty, a mountain woman is apt to have a worn and faded look."

are as opaque as those of veteran poker players. Many wear habitually a sullen scowl, hateful and suspicious, which in men of combative age, and often in the old women, is sinister and vindictive. The smile of comfortable assurance, the frank eye of goodfellowship, are rare indeed. Nearly all of the young people and many of the adults plant themselves before a stranger and regard him with a fixed stare, peculiarly annoying until one realizes that they have no thought of impertinence.

"They are constantly on the move and their ceaseless activity would prevent the accumulation of flesh, even if they had the food that would make that possible.

"As a class, they have great and restless physical energy. Considering the quantity and quality of what they eat, there is no people who can beat them in endurance of strain and privation. They are great walkers and carriers of burdens. Before there was a tub-mill in our settlement one of my neighbors used to go, every other week, 13 miles to mill, carrying a two-bushel sack of corn (112 pounds) and returning with his meal on the following day. This was done without any pack-strap, but simply shifting the load from one shoulder to the other, betimes.

"One of our women, known as 'Long Goody' (I measured her; 6 feet 3 inches she stood) walked 18 miles across the Smokies into Tennessee, crossing at an elevation of 5000 feet, merely to shop more advantageously than she could at home. The next day she shouldered 50 pounds of flour and some groceries and bore them home before nightfall.

"In winter, one may sometimes see adults and children going barefoot in snow that is ankle deep. It used to be customary in our settlement to do the morning chores barefooted in the snow. 'Then,' said one, 'our feet 'd tingle and burn, so 't they wouldn't git a bit cold all day when we put our shoes on.' I knew a family whose children had no shoes all one winter, and occasionally we had zero weather.

"There was a wealthy man known to everyone around Waynesville, who, being asked where he resided, as a witness in court, answered: 'Three or four miles up and down Jonathan Creek.' The Judge was about to fine him for contempt, when it developed that the witness spoke the literal truth. He lives neither in house nor camp, but perambulates his large estate, and when night comes lies down wherever he may happen to be. In winter he has been known to go where some of his pigs bedded in the woods, usurp the middle for himself, and borrow comfort from their bodily heat.

"This man is worth over a hundred thousand dollars. He visited the world's fairs at Chicago and St. Louis, wearing the old long coat that serves him also as blanket and carrying his rations in a sack. Far from being demented, he is notoriously so shrewd on the stand and so learned in the law that he is formidable to every attorney who cross-questions him.

"In spite of such apparent 'toughness,' the mountaineers are not a notably healthy people. The man who exposes himself wantonly year after year must pay the piper. Sooner or later he 'adopts a rheumatis,' and the adoption lasts till he dies. So also in dietary matters. The backwoodsmen, through ruthless weeding out of the normally sensitive, have acquired a wonderful tolerance of swimming grease, doughy bread and half-fried cabbage; but, even so, they are gnawed by dyspepsia. This accounts in great measure for the 'glunch o' sour dis-



Dentistry, somewhat rude but efficacious

dain' that mars so many countenances. A neighbor said to me of another: 'He has a gredge agin all creation, and glories in human misery.' So would anyone else who ate at the same table. Many a homicide in the mountains can be traced directly to bad food and the raw whisky taken to appease a soured stomach.

"Let those of us who quarrel with our dentists for causing us even the slightest twinge of pain while operating with their luxurious equipment contemplate a tooth-pulling experience such as was described by one of my neighbors:

"'You take a cut nail (not one o' those round wire nails) and place its squar p'int again the ridge of the tooth, jest under the edge of the gum. Then jump the tooth out with a hammer. A man who knows how can jump a tooth without it hurtin' half as bad as pullin'. But old Uncle Neddy Cyarter went to jump one of his own teeth out, one time, and missed the nail and mashed his nose with the hammer. He had the weak trembles.'

"'I have heard of tooth-jumping,' said I, 'and reported it to dentists back home, but they laughed at me.'

"'Well, they needn't laugh; for it's so. Some men git to be as experienced at it as tooth-dentists are at pullin'. They cut around the gum, and then put the nail at jest sich an angle, slantin' downward for an upper tooth, or upwards for a lower one, and hit one lick.'

"'Will the tooth come at the first lick?'

"'Ginerally. If it didn't you might as well stick your head in a swarm o' bees and fergit who you are.'

"'Are back teeth extracted in that way?'

"'Yes, sir, any kind of a tooth. I've burnt my holler teeth out with a red-hot wire.'

"'Good God!'

"'Hit's so. The wire'd sizzle like fryin'.'

"'Kill the nerve?'

"'No; but it'd sear the mar so it wouldn't be so sensitive.'

"'Didn't hurt, eh?'

"'Hurt like hell for a moment. I held the wire one time for Jim Bob Jimmywright, who couldn't reach the spot for himself. I told him to hold his tongue back; but when I touched the holler he jumped and wropped his tongue agin the wire. The words that man used ain't fitten to tell.'

"Some of the expedients that mountain girls invent to make themselves attractive are bizarre in the extreme. Without invading the sanctities of toilet, I will cite one instance that is interesting from a scientific viewpoint. They told me that a certain blue-eyed girl thought the black eyes were 'purtier' and that she actually changed her eyes to jet black whenever she went to 'meetin'' or other public gathering. While I could see how the trick might be worked, it seemed utterly absurd to me that an unschooled maid of the wilderness could acquire either the knowledge or the means to accomplish such a change. Well, one day I was called to treat a sick baby. While waiting for the medicine to react I chanced to mention this tale as it had been told me. The father, who had blue eyes, solemnly assured me that there was 'no lie about it,' and said he would convince me in a few minutes.

"He stepped to the garden and plucked a leaf of jimson weed. His wife crushed the leaf and instilled a drop of its juice into one of his eyes. I took out my watch. One side of the eyeball reddened slightly. The man said, 'Hit smarts a leetle—not much.' Within fifteen minutes the pupil had expanded like a cat's eye in the dark, leaving a rim of blue iris so thin as to be quite unnoticeable without close inspection. The eye consequently was jet black and its expression utterly changed. My host said it did not affect his vision materially, save that 'things glimmer a bit.' I met him again the next day and he was an odd-looking creature indeed, with one eye a light blue and the other an absolute black. The thing puzzled me until I recalled that the Latin name of jimson weed is Datura stramonium; then, in a flash, it came to me that stramonium is a powerful mydriatic.

"In the mountain regions, there are no suffragettes, nor is the spirit of independence for women known. Man is the superior sex, and everything in the relations of men and women shows it.

"Outside the towns no hat is lifted to maid or wife. A swain would consider it belittled his dignity. At table, if women be seated at all, the dishes are passed first to the men; but generally the wife stands by and serves. There is no conscious discourtesy in such customs, but they betoken an indifference to woman's weaknesses, a disregard for her finer nature, a denial of her proper rank, that are real and deep-seated in the mountaineer. To him she is little more than a sort of superior domestic animal. The chivalrous regard for women that characterized our pioneers of the Far West is altogether lacking in the habits of the backwoodsman of Appalachia.

"And yet it is seldom that a highland woman com-

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MANY THINGS WORTH KNOWING

The 10 Greatest Inventions in the Last 25 Years

Verdict of Experts After Considering All the Useful and Patentable Devices of Inventors All Over the World

First Prize Selection

The electric furnace.
Steam turbine.
Gasoline automobile.
Moving pictures.
Aeroplane.
Wireless telegraphy.
Cyanide process.
Induction motor.
Linotype.
Electric welding.

WHAT are the greatest 10 inventions of the past 25 years? Last July the Scientific American offered prizes of $150, $100 and $50 for the three best essays on this intensely interesting subject. Its editors were flooded with answers from all over the world and they are now publishing the prize-winning essays.

The astonishing fact about these is the wide diversity of opinion of the contestants. "No two competitors," says the Scientific American, "selected the same set of inventions. In fact, only one invention, wireless telegraphy, was conceded unanimously to belong among the greatest 10. The vote on aeroplanes was almost unanimous; but beyond that there was not the slightest trace of unanimity."

The conditions laid down were that the "greatness" of an invention would be measured in terms of practical success and general usefulness to mankind. The contestants were limited to "machines, devices and discoveries commercially introduced in the last 25 years. They must be patentable, although not necessarily patented."

The editors of the Scientific American took a test vote among themselves and found they could not agree on more than half a dozen. They opened 10 of the essays at random and found them to contain 40 different subjects. They called for a general vote of their readers and published a list of these 40 subjects just to show the disagreement on the question. The vote was not unanimous, even on wireless telegraphy.

The judges of the contest were Prof. H. deB. Parsons and Dr. Gustave Lindenthal. They awarded the prizes as follows.

First, William I. Wyman of Washington, D. C.; second, George M. Dowe of the U. S. Patent Office; third, W. C. Cahall of Germantown, Pa. Of course the essays were submitted under ciphers, each being accompanied by a sealed envelope bearing the name corresponding to the cipher, so the judges could not tell to whom they were awarding the prizes.

Elsewhere on this page will be found the selections of Messrs. Wyman and Dowe, together with a list of inventions arranged in the order of the vote of the Scientific American's readers. It will be noticed that the winners of the first and second prizes agree on only five items—the steam turbine, gasoline automobile, aeroplane, wireless telegraphy and linotype.

They are supported in these selections by a high popular vote, except in the case of the linotype, which received only 15 per cent of the votes cast.

It will be observed that neither Mr. Wyman nor Mr. Dowe includes the X-ray machine, which was third in the popular vote. The Scientific American's editor holds that they are right in excluding it, remarking:

"What is there to the machine but a Crookes tube and a Ruhmkorff coil, both old inventions? Is it not the discovery of the rays, rather than of the machine, that is of an epochal character?"

And the discovery of the X-rays, not being an invention or a patentable process, must be excluded by the terms of the contest. At first glance this would seem to exclude radium also, but radium is produced from pitchblende rock by a long and intricate process, which is certainly patentable and, therefore, the discovery of radium is rightly included.

The reasons given by the prize winners for their selections would absorb too much space, so they are briefly summarized as follows:

The Electric Furnace—This produces a "heat so intense as to simulate some of the primal forces of nature." It alone has made possible the production of artificial gems, carborundum (hardest of manufactured substances), calcium carbide and artificial graphite. It has reduced the price of aluminum from more than $12 a pound to less than 25c. It has made possible the fixation of atmospheric nitrogen and revolutionized the steel industry.

The Steam Turbine — Has effected striking economies in steam consumption, abolished vibration, reduced engine space by from one to two thirds and is sending the old reciprocating engines to the scrap heap.

The Gasoline Automobile—The benefits conferred upon mankind by the automobile are so widespread as to need scarcely any comment. Among them, however, must not be forgotten the creation of thousands of miles of improved highways.

Moving Pictures—Have transformed the people's amusements and are becoming an ever more important factor in education, science, trade and recording current history.

The Aeroplane—While this presents the least commercial utility of all the inventions considered, it is the most radical innovation in the whole history of locomotion and threatens to revolutionize warfare.

Wireless Telegraphy—Has made possible the universal intercommunication of all the world; has robbed the sea of its terrors and saved thousands of lives.

The Cyanide Process—One of the main agencies whereby the world's production of gold was trebled between 1890 and 1908. Has revolutionized the metallurgy of the precious metals.

The Induction Motor—This has made possible the transmission and utilization of alternating electric current and is mainly responsible for the rapid substitution of electric for steam power in the industries, conserving from 30 to 60 per cent of the energy formerly wasted in whirling line shafting and belting.

The Linotype—Has made it possible to set type from five to 10 times as rapidly as before; has saved time and expense and made the modern newspaper.

Electric Welding — Makes it easy to join the most antagonistic metals with safety, surety and swiftness. It was the first radical change that the art of the smithy had undergone in historic times.

The foregoing are the selections of the first prize winner. The following are those in the list of the second prize winner which are not included by the first:

Electric Fixation of Atmospheric Nitrogen—Has given the world an inexhaustible supply of fertilizers, just at the time when the exhaustion of the nitrate beds of Chili seemed in sight.

Preservation of Sugar-Producing Plants —Until George W. McMullen of Chicago invented the process of preserving cane and sugar beets, it was not possible to make sugar except from perfectly fresh plants; consequently it could be done only during the harvest season. The result is a great increase in the supply of food in the form of sugar.

High Speed Steel—By heating tungsten steel to an almost melting temperature and then cooling, a hardness is produced that was hitherto unknown. Tools so made are able to cut at such a speed that they become almost red hot without losing either their temper or their cutting edge.

Tungsten Filament Lamp—Gives the same illumination for a little more than one-third of the energy required for the carbon lamp.

Pneumatic Tires—"What the track has done for the locomotive, the pneumatic tire has done for the vehicle not confined to tracks." It made the motor car possible.

Second Prize Selection

Electric fixation of atmospheric nitrogen.
Preservation of sugar-producing plants.
High speed steel.
Tungsten filament.
Aeroplane.
Steam turbine.
Internal combustion motor vehicles.
Pneumatic tire.
Wireless telegraphy.
Typesetting machines.

Inventors of the Greatest Inventions

Electric furnace—the Cowles brothers, Acheson, Heroult, Moisson, Borchers, and Birkeland.

Steam turbine—Sir Charles A. Parsons.

Gasoline automobile—Gottlieb Daimler, Panhard, Levassor, Selden, Ford and Duryea.

Moving pictures—Thomas A. Edison.

Aeroplane — S. P. Langley, Wilbur and Orville Wright.

Wireless telegraphy — Guglielmo Marconi.

Cyanide process — MacArthur and Forrest.

Induction motor—Nikola Tesla and Ferrari.

Typesetting machines — Otto Merganthaler.

Electric welding—Elihu Thomson.

Electric fixation of atmospheric nitrogen — Bradley, Lovejoy, Birkeland and Eyde.

Preservation of sugar-producing plants—George W. McMullen.

High-speed steel—F. W. Taylor and White.

Tungsten filament—Just, Hanaman and Coolidge.

Pneumatic tire—Bartlett and John Dunlop.

Greatest Inventions in the Order of a Vote Cast by the Readers of the Scientific American

	Per Cent.
Wireless telegraph	97
Aeroplanes	75
X-Ray machine	74
Automobile	66
Motion pictures	63
Reinforced concrete	37
Phonograph	37
Incandescent electric lamp	35
Steam turbine	34
Calculating machine	33
Internal combustion engine	33
Radium	27
Submarine boats	24
Picture telegraphy	24
Electric furnace	21
Diesel engine	18
Dictagraph	16
Typesetting machine	15
Transmission and transforming of alternating current	15
Pneumatic tire	15
Dirigible balloon	13
Photo engraving	13
Tungsten	11
Electric welding	10
High speed steel	10
Kodak	10
Fixation of nitrogen	9
Welsbach burner	9
Producer gas	8
Monorail	8
Flexible photo films	7
Liquid air	7

Scattering votes for Luther Burbank's work; Pasteur's work; acetylene gas; mercury vapor lamp; the preservation of sugar-producing plants; combined motion picture and talking machine; Edison's storage battery; automatic piano-player, pulmotor and telephone.

DO YOU KNOW THAT?

IMPROVE at first meant to rebuke, to condemn or disapprove. In the French it means precisely the opposite of the English word. Milton uses it in the sense of increase. Only in the course of ages did it take on the present signification of bettering.

AN incipient cold can often be prevented by taking 10 or 20 deep, slow, full breaths in the open air or at an open window. The breath must be drawn through the nose very slowly till the lungs are filled, held a second and exhaled slowly till the lungs are emptied.

TINCTURE of iodine is the most useful of household remedies. The cut hand, the "barked" shin, the pricked finger, the scratched foot, as well as more serious wounds, should be painted with it at once. It is a perfect germicide and can do no harm.

NICKELS and "Old Nick" are derived from the name of a Scandinavian demon, Nikr, who is supposed to haunt the mines in which the metal nickel is found, and it was long believed that he gave the hardness to the metal.

THE railroads of Great Britain kill in accidents for which the passenger is in no way responsible, one passenger for every 72,000,000 carried, while those of the United States kill one for every 4,900,000 passengers carried.

HERE is a simple method of removing grease or oil spots from the pages of a book: Keep the pages open firmly with weights. Place two or three thicknesses of blotting paper under the spot. Soak a plug of cotton in benzine and press firmly on the spot. The benzine will evaporate and the blotting paper will absorb the grease.

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A GIRL . . YOU KNOW

Written and Illustrated

By James Montgomery Flagg

for the Sunday Post-Dispatch Magazine.

NO. 7—ENVY.

DOROTHY has run in to see her friend, Irene Thatcher, this morning. Irene's maid has just brought in a box of long and expensive stems with roses attached to them, and a few foolish lines from Peter. The ironical part of it is that Peter bought these stems at the florist shop owned by Irene's own daddy. Mr. Thatcher has made millions of useful dollars by selling stems to countless young men who knew positively that their devotion was measured by the length of the stems they sent to their lady loves.

But a rose is a rose for a' that! So Irene was pleased, although it was a bit early in the morning, ten-thirty, to show it by one's expression. But there is no living woman who is not pleased with roses. Irene was engaged to Peter, who was an ordinary young man with a tiny mustache like two little feathers. He was very, very smart. Oh, very! His life was consecrated to doing the correct thing.

Dorothy had leanings toward smartness. She knew that to be smart required money. Irene's home made Dorothy envious. Irene didn't have to send gloves to be cleaned. There was a scrap basket. Irene wore thin silk stockings with thin toes and heels. All of Irene's possessions were the real thing. Of course, Mrs. Thatcher hunted for bargains and beat down dressmakers and was commendably mean in many little ways—but then, she was rich, so everyone excused her.

So Dorothy, looking about her, was impressed by the evidences of the extreme world's goodliness, and set her heart on having things.

Next Week, No. 8 of "A Girl You Know" Series—SPENDING



"Mille Hortenses! Is a Lady's Arm a Plum Tree That You Must Shake It?"

Famous French Writer Tells Why Parisian Dandies Have Revived the Courtly Custom of Kissing the Hand.

GLORIFYING YOUTH in DEBUTANTE ATTIRE

SIMPLICITY for the young, subtlety for the mature—this is the rule which should guide in the selection of dress. But how recognize your particular style in this age of sophistication, when simplicity itself is elaborate, and the matron vies with the miss?

Rules may be useless, but examples are very powerful. Here are three gowns which admirably exemplify the dress for debutantes who would be at the same time girlish and fashionable. Simplicity lies not in the arrangement, but in the line.



French afternoon gown of red and black pinhead striped velvet with cream lace yoke.

NOTE the pretty reception frock in the right hand corner of the page. The beauty who wears this cannot, however, be said to be unadorned, for it owes its girlishness to skilled workmanship. Of sheer crepe, it clings gracefully to the figure and cobwebby lace adds a delicate touch to the dainty bodice. The draping is particularly adapted to show off the slim lines of a youthful figure, and a touch of color may be added in the bouquet of flowers which finishes the corsage.

That heavy and rich materials are not for the girl, is a rule oft repeated by the experienced. But every rule has its exception. Gorgeous brocades are ever out of place. Velvet, however, though perhaps in the same class, is not taboo. The upper model shows a very beautiful gown of the material. It has the new long sleeve, and the modified minaret effect in the skirt is particularly effective. Again elaboration of detail is noticeable in the design, but, like the former model, the line is youthful, and therefore suitable. Duvetyne is the material of the smart walking costume displayed in the remaining model.

THE lines are long and loose; the trimming of fur is very slight, but effective, and the only ornament is the single buckle which holds the coat in front. The hat is especially simple, and adapted to set off a pretty girlish face.

Line and fabric, therefore, are of importance in dress in indicating the debutante, as opposed to the girlish matron or society graduate. But there is still another mark of distinction. Brightness of color is another privileged possession of the ingenue. Delicate pastel shades are, of course, allowable and this season is particularly wealthy in that respect. Minaret shades, orioles, oleanders and oriental blues are among its treasures, and the ingenue may take her choice. But subtlety in color combinations is not for her, and rightly so, if we follow the dictates of Monsieur Paul Poiret. The dress should symbolize the soul, says the great Parisian expert. If so, then simplicity for the ingenue, brightness to suit her outlook on life, and lightness to match the spirit of her youth.

A smart walking costume of duvetyne.

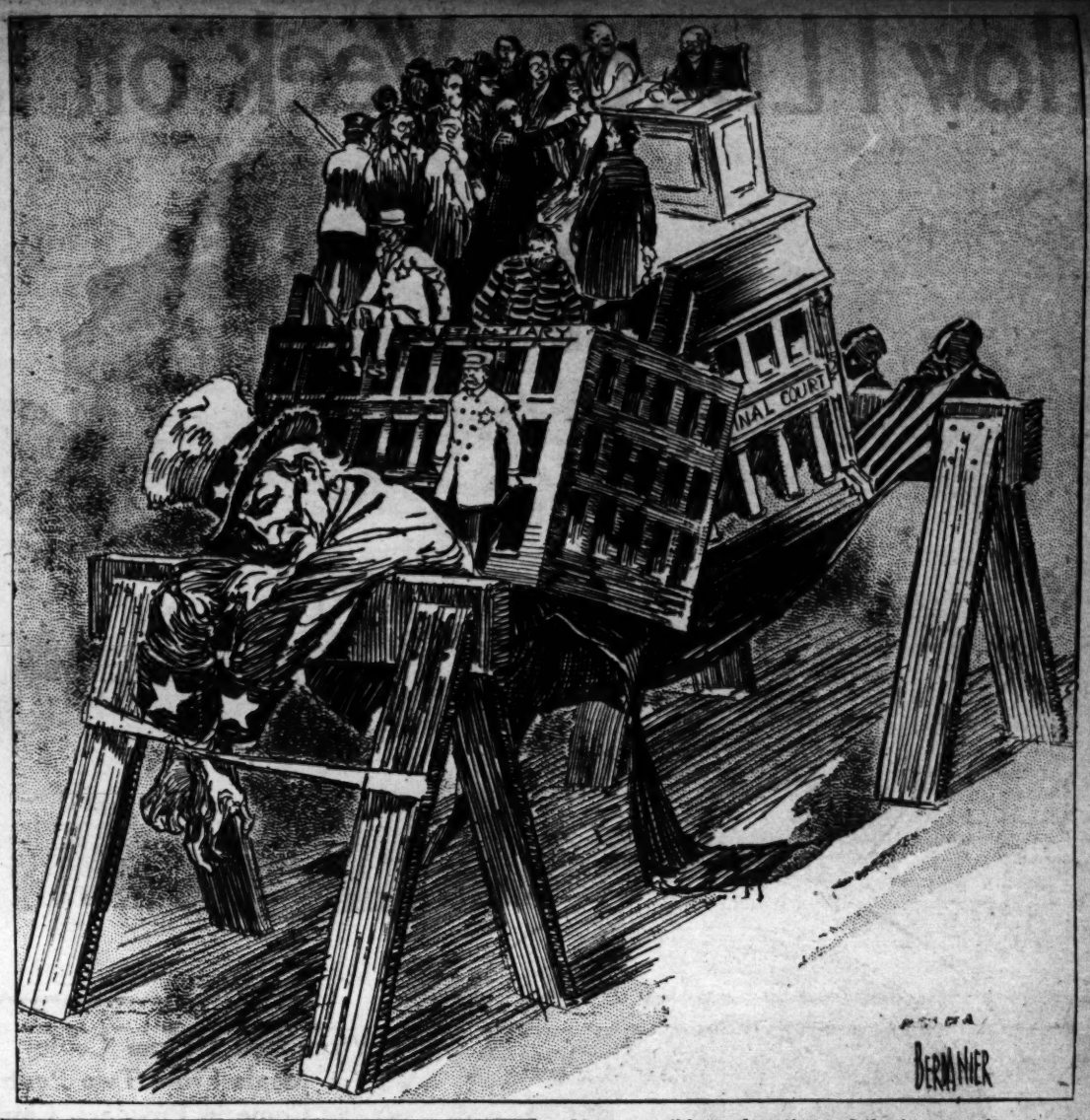
Afternoon gown of white crepe de chine, with bodice of shadow lace.

You Know" Series—SPENDING

COST of CRIME

Yearly, in the United States, It Would Build Twelve Panama Canals . . . .

Amazing Figures Collected by Experts Show Burden Placed on the Country in Trying to Suppress and Refor the Criminal Class, Which Vastly Exceeds the Size of the Nation's Army and Almost Equals the Registered Vote of St. Louis. . . . .



STAGGERING figures as to what the annual warfare against crime costs the United States are contained in an estimate submitted recently by Prof. Charles J. Bushnell of Washington, D. C. He puts the total at the overwhelming figure of $6,000,000,000 a year, and other experts have pronounced this a relatively close approximation. This total includes all the money that is spent in arresting, trying, convicting, punishing and feeding criminals, and the losses they cause through theft, incendiarism, etc.

Figures of such denominations are so bewildering that the average person cannot conceive of what they mean. A better idea of it can be shown when it is said that this outlay annually would build 12 Panama canals. It is six times as much as Congress appropriated for all national expenses at the close of the last fiscal year.

It is more than the governments of the United States, Germany, France and Great Britain paid out for all governmental purposes in the year 1912, a year that was characterized by huge national drain because of building big battleships in Europe.

The money cost in the United States is divided among the National Governments and the states. The Massachusetts Prison Association has estimated that in that State alone the annual crime bill is $6,500,000. All of this money sooner or later has to come out of the taxpayer's pocket.

And in spite of this outlay, crime is increasing in this country instead of diminishing.

The struggle of society against the criminal is today engrossing many of the leading thinkers. One has but to go either to the Mercantile or Public Library in St. Louis and glance through the catalogues to be astonished at how much is being written about it. Nearly every civilized country has several important societies devoting attention to it—there are half a dozen in the United States. Our Government and nearly every other civilized government is studying it in statistical reports. And yet the problem appears no nearer solution than ever.

Prison reform began in the United States a short time after the close of the Civil War. In the last few years it has received extraordinary impetus in the way of remedial legislation—indeterminate sentences, juvenile courts, parole systems, industrial employment of convicts, etc. Yet in face of this remains the fact, carefully substantiated by special census reports submitted to Congress, that:

"IN RELATION TO THE INCREASE OF POPULATION THERE ARE TWO AND ONE-HALF TIMES AS MANY PERSONS IN THE PRISONS OF THE UNITED STATES AS THERE WERE 50 YEARS AGO, FIGURED ON A PER CAPITA BASIS. YET IN GREAT BRITAIN THERE HAS BEEN NEARLY A 50 PER CENT DECREASE IN THE SAME TIME, ALTHOUGH THERE HAS BEEN A 50 PER CENT INCREASE IN POPULATION.

These figures have to do only with persons actually convicted and punished for crime. H. C. Weir, an investigator of note, in an article printed in the Literary Digest, Feb. 12, 1910, declared that there are annually in the United States 250,000 offenders whom the law never touches.

These amazing figures as to the growth of crime in this country are not the less surprising when it is remembered that they cover the entire period since the enlightened penal servitude system went into effect in this country.

Plainly, the penal servitude system is not to blame, as the same system exists both in the United States and in England. Yet there is so much difference in the operation of the system in the two countries that William Tallack, secretary of the Howard Association of London, a prison reform organization, spoke of American prisons he had visited as "The hotel and collegiate prisons of the United States," and added:

"The whole class of criminals and vagrants in America are treated with a leniency which is positively cruel to the honest community, inasmuch as this tends to remove the dread of evil. It has been abundantly proved by European experience that it is dangerous to render crime attractive by rewarding its perpetrators with privileges not attainable by honest laborers."

The Army of Criminals

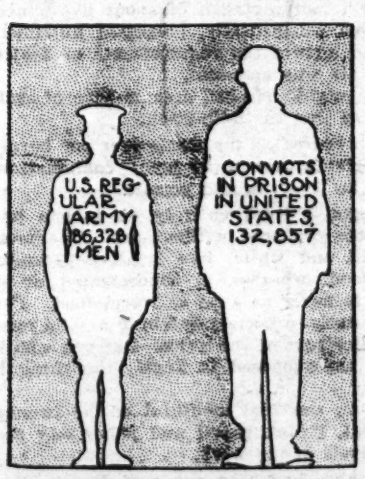
RESTRAINED behind prison bars in the United States are more than 132,000 convicts. These, together with the guards and necessary attendants, make up a population greater than that of either San Antonio, Tex., or Omaha, Neb.

The aggregate is about twice that of St. Joseph, Missouri's third city. It is greater than that of these 10 other Missouri cities combined: Joplin, Sedalia, Hannibal, Jefferson City, Moberly, Carthage, Columbia, Cape Girardeau, Nevada and Poplar Bluff.

It is approximately that of the entire registered, voting population of St. Louis.

Experts estimate the total number of criminals at large in this country at slightly more than 250,000, a population approximately the size of Kansas City.

The number of criminals, law officers, prosecuting attorneys, judges, bailiffs, wardens and others involved in the crime warfare of America would make a city within a few thousand of double the size of St. Louis.



Convicts in prisons in the United States exceed the regular army by more than 50 per cent.

Many possible explanations of the increase in crime in the United States have been advanced, chief of which are leniency of our pardon and parole systems and the delays and technicalities of our laws, which place every advantage in the hands of the defense and against the state.

The National Prison Association, in its report of a few years ago, declared that a great majority of our criminals are persons between the ages of 16 and 30. Of these, considerably more than 50 per cent are recidivists—that is to say, persons who have committed crimes after they have served prison sentences for first offenses. These statistics led Albert H. Currier, in his "The Problems of Present Day Crime," to declare: "We lead the world in crime and in the immunity of our criminals from punishment because of the defects of our laws."

The United States census illuminates another important economic side of the question. According to its figures, one out of every 700 persons in the United States is a convicted criminal, whereas in 1850 only one person to every 3442 was a convicted criminal, and the criminal code was much severer then than now.

This means that if that ratio were followed, EVERY CROWD THAT COMPLETELY FILLS THE COLISEUM IN ST. LOUIS WOULD CONTAIN 20 CRIMINALS!

Bad as that is, it is not the worst economic feature of the situation. The late J. P. Altgeld, Governor of Illinois, estimated in an address that in addition to the regular police and detectives there are about 70,000 constables, 70,000 magistrates, 12,000 deputy sheriffs and 2200 sheriffs who, together with the grand jurors, petit jurors, judges, clerks, lawyers, jailors, wardens, guards, prison attendants, etc., make up a conservative estimate of 1,000,000 persons who derive an average annual income of about $1500 each, out of the apprehension, conviction and detention of criminals. The estimated total number of regular policemen in the United States is 300,000. At an average $1000 salary the average annual payroll for policemen is $300,000,000.

Adding to this mighty army the 132,857 prisoners in this country, we have a force of 1,132,857 men. Beside such a force the mightiest armies of history, the combatants in any of the world's great battles, from Crecy to the fall of Andrianople, would be a pitiful corporal's guard in comparison. Criminologists and penologists are agreed that there have been three theories of the punishment of crimes.

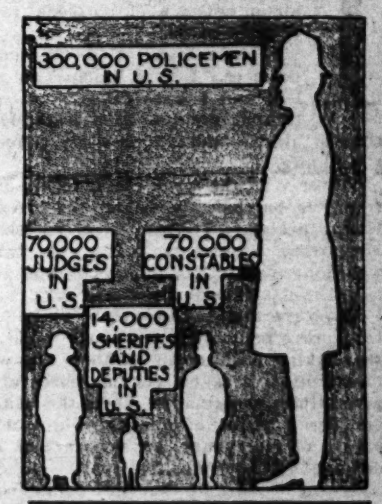
No. 1 was the retributive theory, which exacted a bitter revenge for all offenses against society. This was the theory under which the dungeons and the horrible tortures of the Middle Ages, the thumbscrew, the rack and the iron maiden existed. This theory has long been abandoned by investigators, because it was inhuman and failed to get results.

No. 2 is the reform theory, under which the protection of the community is almost of secondary importance and the reformation of the criminal the first. It is the one under which in the United States there has been such a tremendous growth in crime in the last 50 years.

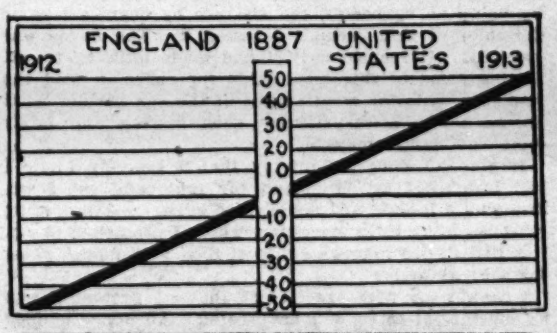
No. 3 is the "radical" theory, in which moral suasion is relied upon to take the place of punishment. It is so Utopian in its nature that it has not yet received a thorough practical test. Of all the systems in vogue, the English, which is a combination of all three, perhaps, has achieved the best statistical results on the face of the returns.

Under this system, the certainty of punishment rather than the severity of it is emphasized. The criminal gets a quick trial, without appeal on technicalities, and a stiff sentence, graded according to the nature of his crime. The prison is sanitary, the food and clothing are good, but there are no comforts and there are inevitable penalties for violation of the rules.

The convicts get hard work and lots of it, but it is gainful work.



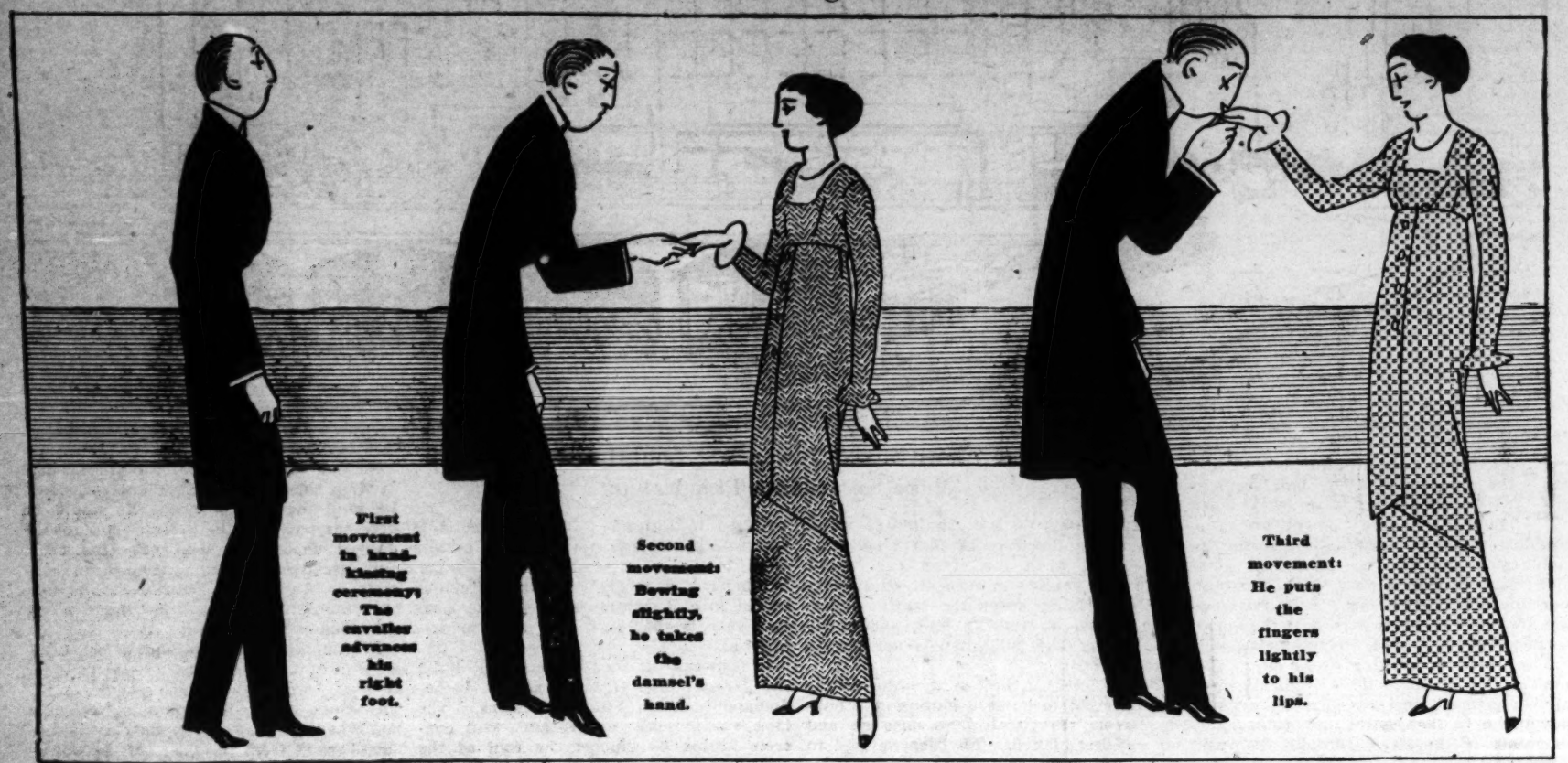
Just a part of the army which is maintained to catch and administer justice to the criminal class.



In the last 25 years crime in England has DECREASED 50 per cent, while in the United States, with more leniency toward offenders, parole systems and other humanitarian policies, crime has INCREASED 50 per cent.

"Mille Horreurs! Is a Lady's Arm a Plum Tree That You Must Shake It?"

Famous French Writer Tells Why Parisian Dandies Have Revived the Courtly Custom of Kissing the Hand.



KISSING the hand of a woman to whom one wishes to show marked, formal attention, is quite the proper custom in Paris, and there is much speculation in the American colony there as to how soon it will be transplanted to the United States.

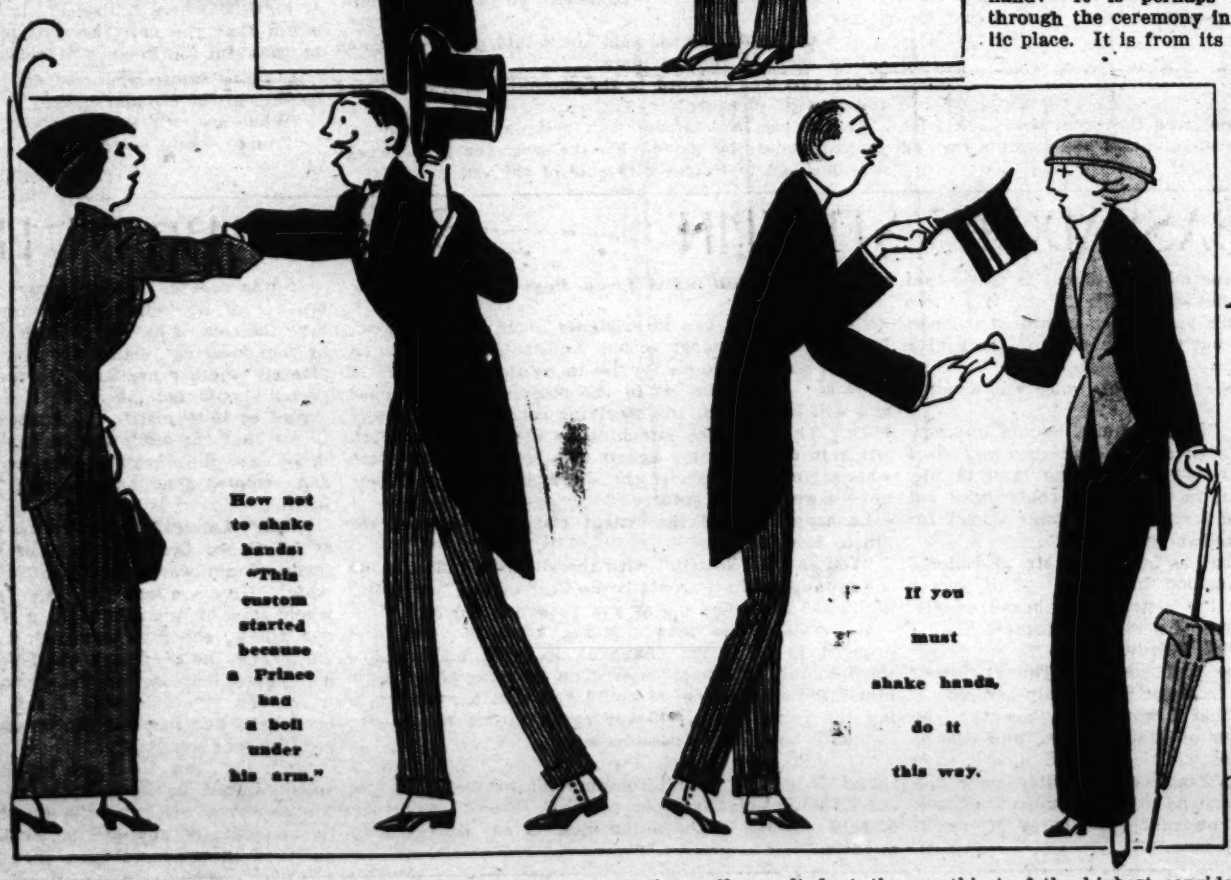
The new practice has managed to survive the ridicule of the Parisian press and this at once stamps its hardihood, as the thing the French journalists can't laugh out of existence must be deep of root and sturdy of stock. Whether it would be too much of an exotic for the American climate perhaps will soon be put to the test. Andre de Fouquieres, one of the noted French writers and dictator of fashions, in a Paris weekly, recently wrote the following about the new custom:

"There has been a change in the manners of our well-bred men; a little revolution in the salons has come to pass: the Anglo-Saxon democracy which our sporting gentlemen imported even into the home has vanished; the red cap which certain persons once clapped upon the silvery locks of the old France has been dashed to the ground; hand-kissing has returned to our beloved shores—hand-kissing has been resuscitated from among the defunct customs of the past; hand-kissing reigns among the men of fashion.

"Those are not high-sounding words for a trivial thing, for, in the domain of fashion, there is no trivial thing, and hand-kissing is not only a polite demonstration, but is indeed a manner of existence—representing, as it were, the soul-state of a generation.

"We all saw, five or ten years ago, young men striding into drawing rooms; we remember their jerky gait, their set jaws, their arms hanging in a wooden perpendicular. They advanced with ponderous footsteps toward the mistress of the house, seized her hand and wig-wagged it energetically as if it were the hand of a boon companion; then, one after the other, they filed before the other dainty matrons or sweet young girls, automatically repeating the performance, their only bow a jerk of the upper part of the body and a slight inclination of the shoulder.





"There were always, of course, modifications in the way they held their arms. A royal personage once had a badly placed boil and this was the origin of the method of lifting the elbow in shaking hands at one time. To imitate an august pattern, beaux and belles hoisted their elbows to an enviable angle and squeezed fingers at the height of their noses.

"Then one day a savior appeared. Who was he? What was his name? What ancient family tree did he remember, what old portraits passed before his eyes? Doubtless he saw a mist of pink fingers, of powdered wigs, of furbelows, of flounces, and saw again 'the singers of serenades and their fair listeners.' Yes, I like to imagine that something of this was passing through his mind and that, one evening, this man, who was the finest gentleman of them all, revolted at the sight of some insignificant cub, fresh from college, a quasi-pedant, familiarly seizing the hand of an exquisite woman and shaking it as if it were a twig on a plum tree.

"It was too much. He felt he could not endure such barbarism without a protest. So when his turn came, he bowed over the hand offered him and kissed it devotedly. As he was one of those who can change fashions, or at least direct them, everybody imitated him, at least everybody who really has the instincts of living gracefully. And so hand-kissing was revived; the Epiphany of that charming custom was on its way.

"The usages of the hand-kissing ceremony are delicate. The formulae which rule it are perilous mysteries. It really would require two long chapters to discuss two questions which cannot go unanswered: (1) How to kiss the hand; (2) whose hand to kiss.

"The old formula was that which was generally practiced by gentlemen of a certain former age. Respectfully the man bent over the hand offered him, his hand almost timidly taking the fingers, and touched it gently with his lips, at the same time murmuring his homage. As you see, this was virtually the fashion of the eighteenth century.

"The modern ceremony combines the grace of a bygone age with the sternness of the twentieth century. The man no longer bends over. He suppresses that mark of abasement. He feels it necessary in some way to manifest his manly independence. He seizes the hand held out to him with apparent gusto and lifts it boldly to his lips, gives it a light kiss—and that is all.

"This style appeals to most of the young men of nowadays. They find in it the apotheosis of the bearing they desire to affect before women—gallantry, all the gallantry one could desire, but mingled with aloofness and even with slight hauteur. These proud youths wish to receive in the ceremony the gracious adoration of the woman without yielding the humble homage of the man.

"Now comes the question, where and under what circumstances should one kiss a lady's hand? It is perhaps not preferable to go through the ceremony in a street or other public place. It is from its nature an intimate little thing to do at any time. It ought to be confined principally to the parlor or boudoir. Transplanted into the open air, in the hubbub of a public place, it loses its charm, it becomes rather clumsy and affected. Naturally there are exceptions, such as in the box or foyer of a theater, but this rule generally applies.

"And whose hands should one kiss? It is a hard question to answer. A categorical reply might start someone quarreling. So I shall be content with merely indicating two fundamental principles to which all individual cases can be resolved:

"In a general gathering, one would scarcely desire to kiss the hands of all the ladies, so he must choose those ladies he thinks worthiest of the highest consideration and those whose hands he prefers to kiss. It becomes clear, of course, that this rule will be found most delicate to put into actual practice, requiring the greatest taste and tact. And matters of taste and tact cannot be formulated in so many words. The individual will have to rely on his own seventh sense of the proprieties.

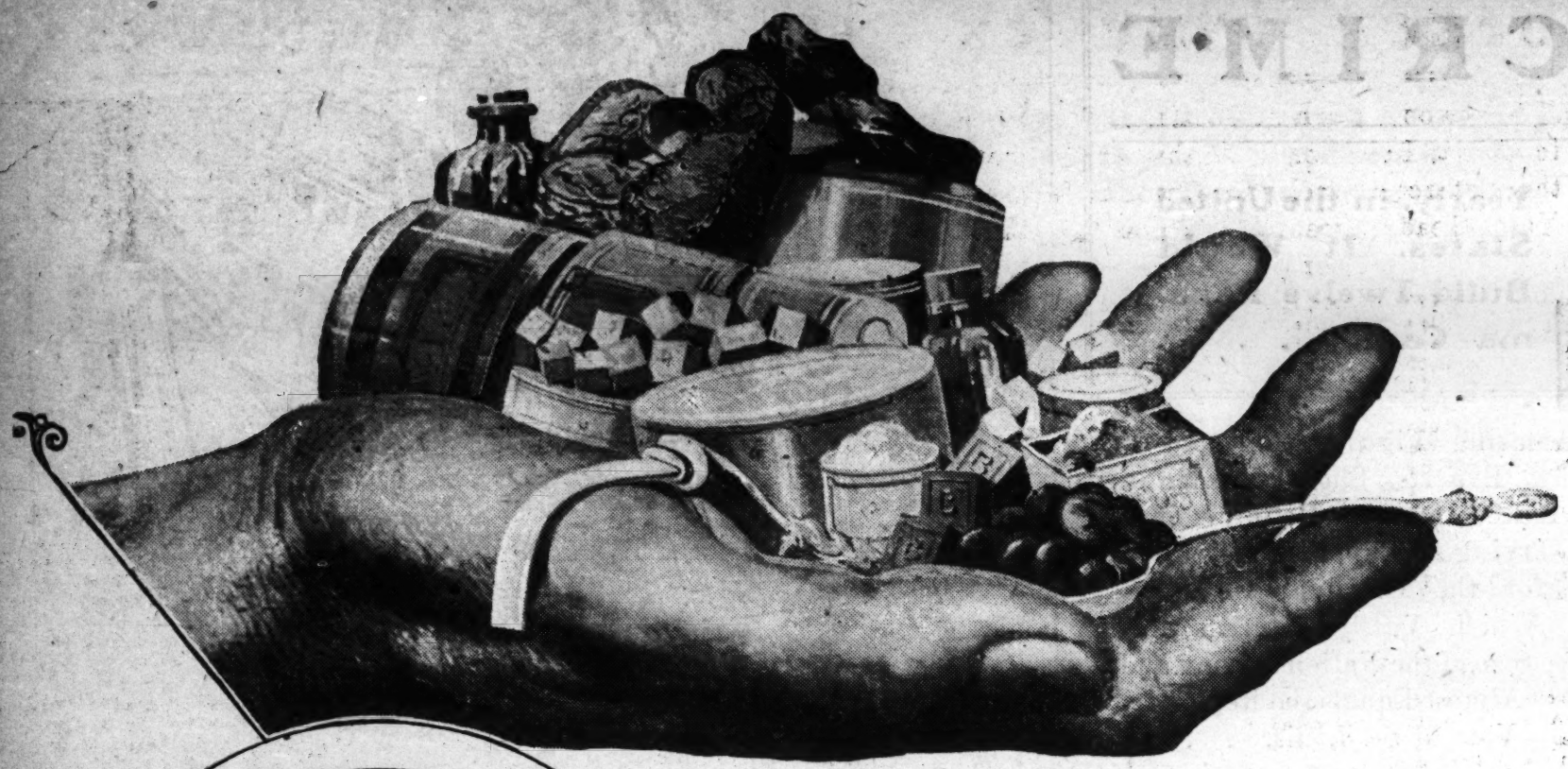
"The second rule, however, is absolute. One ought never kiss the hand of a very young girl. Towards this charming creature one ought to show extreme respect. It must be admitted that the revival of hand-kissing had its origin in our "Old France" ideas and in the reaction against Anglo-Saxon absolutism. And there is something that is romantic and even slightly voluptuous in kissing the fingers of a woman."

The writer resisted the temptation to enlarge upon this theme.

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By Winnifred Harper Cooley,
(National President of the Associated Clubs of Domestic Science.)

I HAVE just completed the experiment of living for an entire week on foods from the laboratory of commerce.

I have breakfasted on concentrations and essences. I have lunched on powders and tablets and I have dined from cubes and tubes; brewed my tea from a caddy scarcely larger than a thimble and measured my coffee on the point of a penknife.

Not once in the week did I get a supply of any kind from the butcher, the baker, the grocer or the delicatessen dealer. I have lived exclusively on values. Everything for my table has been bereft of bulk. It was homeopathic feeding, and it was dainty, suggesting a series of menus for a canary bird.

The experiment was worth while. All experiments that prove something are worth while. I have proved that taking one's meals in about the way a physician's prescription is taken, regular doses of a given size at given times, sustains life, keeps the human fires burning, and for a period of a week, which might be called a period of emergency, answers not at all badly to the demands of the system for food.

Having decided to consider chops, roasts, eggs, vegetables and other articles of accepted normal diet as being for the time out of reach, I set about finding what was offered in the way of substitutes.

Could I buy something more than the mere shadow of a soup by the pennyweight? Was it possible to obtain the concrete essentials of potato in a neat package? Was roast beef to be had in lozenge form? What meal cou'd be found in a tube like so much tooth paste? And, besides, what else could I buy that had the makings of a spread, as one buys quinine in the drug store?

There's fun in marketing for vest-pocket editions of square meals, and there are surprises, too.

I found that the market was actually full of brands of chemically balanced supplies, beginning with pulverized soups, of which there are a score, and touching the bill of fare all along the line, including even a form of spinach and cranberries, and ending with fruits, and all prepared as if they were intended to be sold to a race of Liliputians.

And so, with a knowledge of the relative requirements of proteids, fats and carbohydrates, which we usually forget when buying regular supplies, I began laying in for the experimental week. I did not stint myself. On the contrary, I bought generously. What was one tablet, or one capsule, more or less, if there was to be no regular butcher's or grocer's bill for seven days?

I began, of course, with soup, and I kept right on until my purchases numbered 15. As the several articles were placed before me the size of the package reminded me of things bought at a notion counter. There were parcels the size of a spool of cotton, and others were smaller. It seemed like buying for a doll's house. When I said "That will be all, thank you," the clerk ran up his little row of figures and replied, "One-fifty, please."

Food for a week for a dollar and a half! The very essence of nutriment in 15 varieties for the price of one good substantial dinner at a New York restaurant! Economy in it, at least.

The several articles were bundled together—powders, tablets, cubes and tubes—and at my suggestion placed on the scales. The bundle weighed two pounds, including the containers.

When I am hungry I can calculate quickly. I did in this instance. Two pounds gross of food to which I was unaccustomed to last me for seven days! When I figured the number of gross ounces this gave me for each day I could not even contemplate what that would mean to me each meal. Had it not been that the experiment was on, I might have halted.

Tabulated, the rations looked like this:

Pulverized Soup (pasteboard containers, 10 cents).
Meat Tablets (small tin box).
Powdered Coffee (small tin box, 30 cents).
Tea Tablets (¼ pound, 25 cents).
Powdered Milk (¼ pound can, 40 cents)
Powdered Egg (¼ pound can, 40 cents).
Beef Capsules (tin box, 10 capsules, 25 cents).
Tube of Hare Paste (collapsible tube, 25 cents).
Powdered Potato Rice (large can, 30 cents).
Cocoa with Oatmeal (½ pound can).
Dehydrated Vegetables (spinach, corn, cranberries, 15 cents per can).
Malted Milk Tablets (bottle, 35 cents).
Pemmican (meat paste, tin, 40 cents).
Dates and Nuts (5 cents).

When a person becomes a squad of one to experiment with concentrations and is aware that every ounce means almost a meal, caution becomes very necessary.

For my first breakfast I considered, of course, coffee, milk, sugar and eggs, which, as light breakfasts run, is an average one.

I opened the little two-inch tin of feathery powder, bearing the coffee label, and dropped as much as the tip of a baby's spoon would hold in boiling water. Then I bent over the pot with nostrils distended. It actually had the real aroma and I felt encouraged.

The pasteboard box of milk powder was next opened and the required quantity placed in a dish, with water. By using an eggbeater, the mixture by degrees became the color of thin cream. I tasted it. The flavor was excellent. It seemed as if I had made milk by magic. Setting some of this milk aside for coffee, I used the rest as a basis for creating out of the egg powder what proved to be a surprisingly good tasting and fairly light and fluffy omelette.

It was all done so quickly that I scarcely knew I had been cooking. I spread my table and sat down, dropping a tabloid of concentrated sugar no larger than the head of a pin in my coffee, which I proceeded to sip.

A little more than an ounce of food with added water for a breakfast!

I cannot say with exact truth that my first meal was as substantial as some I have eaten. An ounce of food elements does not leave the lasting impression of a meal, say, of baked apple, oatmeal, a chop, creamed potatoes, a roll and coffee. Something seems lacking. Still, I rose from the table with the knowledge that I had partaken of what the book of values says was sufficient, and went about my affairs.

As midday approached I became hungry, as is my wont. Whether my desire was greater than under normal conditions it is hard to say. But I was hungry and I got out my package of tubes and tablets eagerly.

Being fond of asparagus, I made myself a soup from the vegetable powder. It boiled up nicely and seemed to have body, which is as it should be.

Next I prepared some hare, using a portion of a tube of the paste, and from the potato rice I made a vegetable. This, with a tablet of tea, completed the luncheon.

Another ounce and a half and another meal was before me!

My luncheon was perhaps more appetizing than my breakfast. Perhaps I was hungrier. When I had finished my meal I asked myself if I felt satisfied, but I did not answer. It did not seem important at that early stage to analyze the meals too carefully or to make comparisons.

After a somewhat busy afternoon I began the preparation of the meal which would round out my first day. It consisted of coffee, soup—this time a tomato bisque—beef, corn, spinach, dates and nuts. The variety required some little time. I ate all that I had prepared.

During the day I had partaken of about five ounces of what, considered scientifically, possessed nutriment values sufficient to answer the requirements of health. But the lack of bulk was apparent.

I slept well that night. No bad dreams born of stuffing or disturbances due to indigestion.

For five days I prepared all my meals over one burner of a gas range, giving myself as many combinations and varieties as the larder would permit.

The last two days, I lived entirely on tablets and tabloids which were prepared without fire. The meat tablets were small and white, like small peppermint lozenges. Cold food, whether in concentrated or in its natural form, is never as good as warm food. Perhaps I made a mistake in not sandwiching a solid meal in during the earlier part of the week. But one who is experimenting is not supposed to know; the thing is to find out.

When I had eaten the final mouthful of the twenty-first and final meal, I took pencil and paper and prepared a brief analysis of the week.

I found that hunger had been appeased for the first five days, when my meals were served hot, but my vitality had been lowered—a little, not much. The concluding two days of the experiment were unsatisfactory—I felt it; I knew it. The experiment cost me three pounds of weight, otherwise I was in about as good condition, so far as I was able to judge, as at the start.

I had not undertaken an economy test, but a nutritive one. Still the amount of food I actually ate in one week cost only 22 cents a day.

It is well known that a serious objection to living on tabloid food is the fact that the body requires bulk, in order to keep up the peristaltic action of the intestines, which is an important mechanical factor in digestion.

Unless centuries of concentrated food should be able to modify the working of the digestive organs, it will always be necessary to eat some actual SOLIDS.

In the meantime, I am here to state that I lived and labored in considerable comfort subsisting on these things only. I even made puns:

Said a friend, "You have a WEAK look."

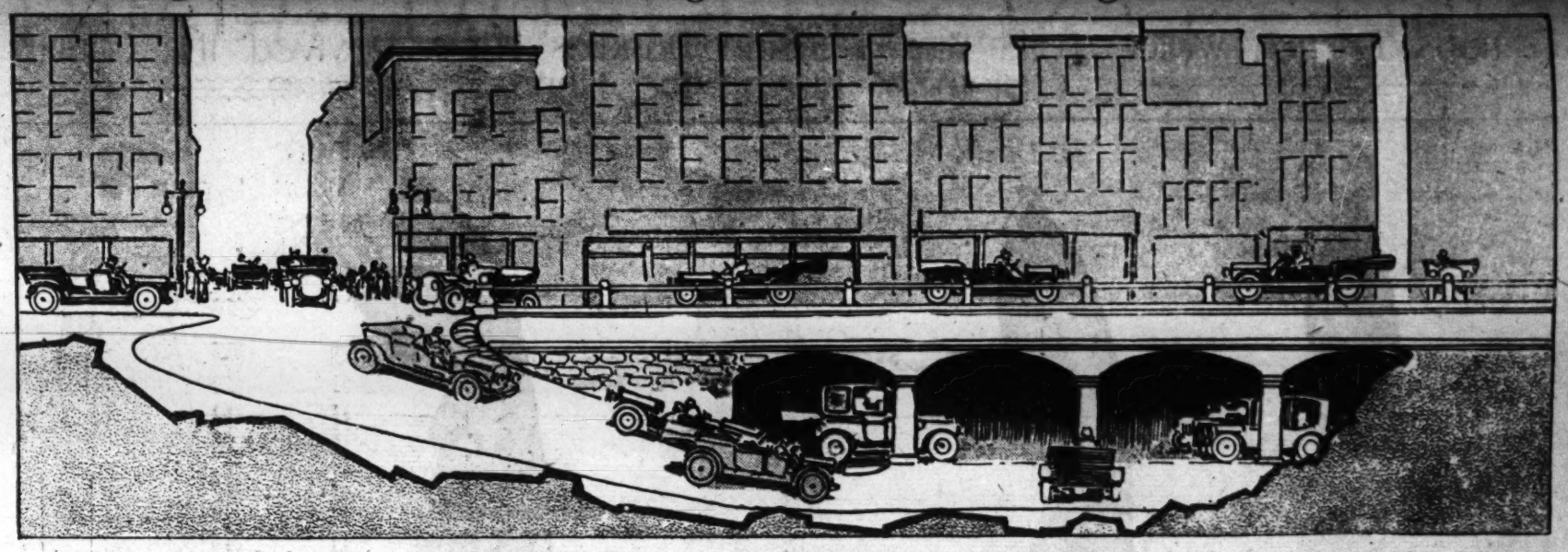
I replied: "I ought to have; I've been dieting SEVEN DAYS!"

Most Durable Wood

MUCH of the piling, wharf material and lock-gates of the Panama Canal are made of greenheart, said to be the most durable wood known for these purposes, which comes mainly from British Guinae.

BIBLE SCENES WHICH LIVE AGAIN

Underground Auto Parkway to Relieve Congestion on Streets



Dip of Downtown Streets Towards St. Louis Levee Would Make Excavations Practicable

IN St. Louis, as in all other large cities, the question of what shall be done with automobiles w en they must stand for hours downtown is a problem which is continually growing in importance and which is no nearer solution than it was a year ago. Most of our busiest streets are comparatively narrow and the autos parked at the curbs form a serious obstruction of traffic.

The traffic is growing every day. The number of automobiles is increasing. More and more business men are driving downtown in their autos and leaving the machines in the street through the rush hours.

Olive street, just west of Broadway, furnishes a good illustration of the situation. Often there is a continuous line of machines outside the Third National Bank and the La Salle buildings which take up so much room that trucks are forced out upon the street car tracks. With cars passing in each direction every few seconds, it keeps the traffic policeman busy preventing long and costly blockades. The policeman is not always successful.

Theoretically, the automobile owner has no right to make a garage of a public street. Practically, he does so and no working plan has yet been devised to keep him from continuing the practice. It is conceded on all hands that the city ought to find some satisfactory way to relieve the congestion.

In this connection, a plan that is being agitated in Chicago and Indianapolis is interesting. This is nothing more or less than to build an underground garage. While such a scheme appears ridiculous on the face of it, a more careful examination reveals that it is not so visionary, after all.

In Chicago it was proposed to build the garage under Grant Park and in Indianapolis under University Park. The idea was to make excavations with concrete arches to support the roof of the semi-tunnel in such a way that the underground space could be utilized.

Nature has made such a thing even more practicable in St. Louis. Fourth street or Olive or any principal east and west downtown street, at the place where it dips sharply towards the levee, could be used for this purpose. It would be necessary to cut the street level to the desired depth and then pass the thoroughfare overhead on a support of concrete or steel arches. Entrance and exit to the excavation could be made along the sides of the roadway.

It would not be a garage in the ordinary meaning of the term, but simply a dry, airy, well lighted underground parkway where hundreds of automobiles could be parked. As it would be only a few moments' walk from the heart of the downtown district, no great amount of time would be lost to the business man. Each owner might be required to pay a nominal fee, which, in time, would reimburse the city for its expense.

HUGO—By Arnold Bennett

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"No, of course not. He was far too chivalrous for that. It would have seemed like taking advantage of my situation to force me into a marriage."

"How do you know he was violently in love with you, bright star?" Hugo demanded in that amiably malicious tone which he could never withstand the temptation to employ.

"My precious boy," replied Camilla, "how does a woman know these things?"

And she came over and kissed Hugo.

"You shall talk to him first," she said. "I'll join you later."

"Did he ever commit sublime follies for you," Hugo asked, detaining her hand, "as I did when I shut up the entire place because I thought you looked exhausted one hot morning?"

She bent over him.

"Darcy is incapable of any folly in regard to women," she said. "That is one reason why we should never have suited each other, he and I. A fool should always marry a fool. Consider my folly when I came back to work in your department 42 simply because I could not forget your masterful face. Wasn't that also sublime?"

"You never told me"——

"But you guessed."

"Perhaps."

She withdrew her hand, and then that delicious swish of skirts which Simon's imagination had foretold thrilled Hugo with delight.

He launched a kiss toward her as she vanished.

"We are all to be heartily congratulated," said Darcy, somewhat astonished when Hugo had put him abreast of the times. "At one period I suspected that you were going to make a match of it, and then, as I heard nothing, I began to be afraid that she had been unable to banish my humble self from her mind. And, to tell you the truth, the object of this present visit to London was to inform myself, and, if necessary, to—offer her—See?"

Hugo was bound to admit that he saw.

Inwardly he laughed to think that he had been seriously disturbed by Darcy's statement in regard to the condition of Camilla's heart.

"Shall we go out to the top of the dome?" he suggested. They rose.

And at that juncture Camilla reappeared.

The greeting between the Paris friends was commendably calm, but neither seemed to be able to speak freely.

And at length Camilla said she would get a cloak and follow them to the belvidere.

The two men climbed to the summit which dominated the city of pleasure.

To the east the famous roof restaurant glittered and jingled under the moon. To the west the great wheel was outlined in flame—a symbol of the era.

Hugo told Darcy the history of the night in the cemetery, and what preceded, and what came after it, including the strange death of Ravengar in a lunatic asylum, and how everything was explained or explicable—even Mr. Brown, the manager of the safe deposit, had run up against justice in Caracas—save and except the identity of Ravengar's accomplice during the last days.

He was enlarging upon the inscrutability of that part of the affair, and upon the interest which it lent to the whole episode, when Darcy, who had not been listening, broke in upon his observation with an inapposite remark which obviously sprang from deep feeling.

"She's simply marvelous!" cried Darcy.

"Who?"

"Your wife. Simply marvelous! I had no idea—in Paris"——

"Recollect, you are not in love with her, my friend," Hugo laughed.

"She must have the best blood in her veins. With that style, that carriage, she surely must be"——

"My dear fellow," said Hugo, "beauty has no rank. It bloweth where it listeth. It is the one thing in the world that you can't account for. You've only got to be thankful for it when it blows your way, that's all."

A white figure appeared in the cavity of the steps leading to the circular gallery.

"What are you talking about?" Camilla inquired.

"Women," said Hugo.

(THE END.)

THE AMBASSADOR'S STICKPIN . . . . . By Ed. H. Hurlbut

craft, who found no situation too difficult to solve, that striking figure in the newspaper life of the West who knew no duty save to his paper, who embodied the best and the highest ideals that tradition gives to the gentlemen of the Fourth Estate, was beaten.

The glow had left his eyes and his voice was dispirited, as he said:

"You have my word, Mr. Secretary, but on one condition: that Carlos' life be spared, and that you start him back with your answer. It was no fault of his. There is only one man in town who could have got that pin from him, and I can hardly blame Carlos for losing it, once Kid Monahan wanted it."

"That condition must be granted, Mr. Koshloff," said the Secretary. Koshloff hesitated. "The wearer of the pin understands the penalty," he began, curtly. "I know. But in this case I personally request it. "It is granted," said Koshloff, definitely.

Lanagan was morose and savage. The Secretary proffered cigars, which Lanagan impatiently refused.

"There is one thing that I would like, however," he said with but faint show of graciousness, "and that is this pin. It will not be worn. I would like it as a memento; as something tangible to exhibit some day when I may tell this story, as proof, in support, of, possibly, one of the most unusual experiences of myself or any other newspaper man."

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"There are but two in existence," said Koshloff soberly. "This one belongs to our Ambassador at Washington. It was sent to me for use in receiving the imperial message. The other—is in the possession of the Czar, and will be worn by the receiving courier at St. Petersburg. The penalties attaching to the loss of the pin, either to myself or my agents are—well, they are somewhat stringent and, with the single exception of Carlos, have always been enforced."

Lanagan snapped the patent clasp and handed the pin to Koshloff.

"You see, if I lost it," with the slightest inflection on the pronoun, "there would be no Czar of this 'particular bailiwick' to pardon me as you pardoned Carlos."

We walked the long distance back to town and dropped in at Dan's. Lanagan had not addressed a word to me. I knew better than to attempt to draw him into conversation. I could feel that he was working the thing over and over again in his mind. He suddenly burst forth passionately:

"I could have beaten them! I could have beaten them! And they didn't convince me at that, that the story should not have been printed! There's too much of this one-man-for-the-nation stuff in our Government, anyhow."

It was months before Lanagan told me that it was because of my wife's feeble health that he feared to take the risk of having us both bottled up for a month, by maneuvering further for freedom; and had added: "Merely another argument to prove that your true reporter should not marry."

And as if to justify the truth of Lanagan's assertion to me that the story should have been printed, within three days the Japanese fleet, scorpion-like, had struck and crippled that unsuspecting and unready Russian flotilla.

"Yah;" Lanagan had cried to me in furious disgust, as he ripped the front page of the Enquirer with its seven-column war head to tatters, "Statesmen! Diplomats! Give me one live reporter, and I'll teach the whole gang of them the right way! Do you suppose for one single, solitary, coruscating second, that if those Japs knew the Secretary was hobnobbing with the Russian envoy here in San Francisco, that the blow would have been struck? Well, I tell you No! I wouldn't even have had to print the message. The story of the meeting was enough."

Well, the time limit set by the Secretary had long since expired, so here is the suppressed story of the Ambassador's Stickpin, the finest, biggest, cleanest in its elements of any of his whole career, as Lanagan mourned to me more than once.

ST. LOUISAN'S EIGHT YEARS AMONG MOONSHINERS

plains of her lot. She knows no other. From aboriginal times the men of her race have been warriors, hunters herdsmen, clearers of forests, and their women have toiled in the fields. Indeed, she would scarce respect her husband if he did not lord it over her and cast upon her the menial tasks. It is 'manners' for a woman to drudge and obey. All respectable wives do that. And they stay at home where they belong, never visiting or going anywhere without first asking their husband's consent.

"When the journey of life is ended, the mountaineer is laid to rest in his eternal hills after a picturesque fashion.

"In all back settlements that I have visited, from Kentucky southward, there is a strange custom as to the funeral sermon, that seems to have no analogue elsewhere. It is not preached until long after the interment, maybe a year or several years. In some districts the practice is to hold joint services, at the same time and place, for all in the neighborhood who died within the year. The time chosen will be after the crops are gathered, so that everybody can attend. In other places a husband's funeral sermon is postponed until his wife dies, or vice versa, though the interval may be many years. These collective funeral services last two or three days, and are attended by hundreds of people, like a camp meeting. They are often occasions for reunions of families scattered throughout the hills.

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"Strange scenes sometimes are witnessed at the graveside, prompted by weird superstitions. At one of our burials, which was attended by more than the usual retinue of kinsfolk, there were present two mothers who bore each other the deadliest hate that women know. Each had a child at her breast. When the clods fell, they silently exchanged babies long enough for each to suckle her rival's child. Was it a reconciliation, cemented by the very life of their blood? Or was it a charm to keep off evil spirits? No one could (or would) explain it to me."

Two Decades of Adventures With Horse Thieves in the Southwest

"Jim" Kirkwood, Born in Scotland, Fighter of Pirates in China, Bedouins in Arabia and Icebergs in the Antarctic Circle, for Twelfth Consecutive Year Heads Effective Farmer Constabulary of Oklahoma.



Kirkwood seized the drowning bandit by the kerchief and towed him away, a prisoner.

"JIM" KIRKWOOD, dour, grim and lanky, hard as the flinty hills of his native Scotland, for nearly half a century a "first-rate fightin' man," has been elected president of the Oklahoma Anti-Horse Thief Association for the twelfth consecutive time and has been chosen chief officer of the national association of which the Oklahoma organization is a member.

Whenever he signs his name to a legal document, he writes it "James A." But he is known as "Jim Kirkwood," when white men gather on the plains of Arabia, in the icebound islands of the Antarctic Circle, on the inland slopes of China and in the towns of the American Southwest to recount old tales of daring, when men looked death in the face and smiled.

Wherever men gather to talk of stirring border days, when the vigilante and the horse thief waged merciless warfare, the deeds of "Jim" Kirkwood inevitably furnish the chief topic of conversation. The next name oftenest heard, perhaps, is that of "Cap." "Cap" is a horse whose name will go down with those of deathless steeds of history.

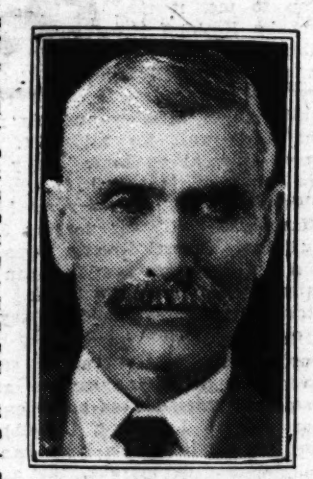
A mightly, fierce, devil of a stallion was "Cap" in his younger days, a stallion which no man could tame and no man could ride but "Jim" Kirkwood. But when "Jim" bestrode him his powerful leaps ate up the prairie miles until his wonderful speed and endurance became a by-word. "Cap" is 27 years old today. He has a stable and a pasture all to himself. Moreover he is an enrolled, active member in good standing of the Oklahoma Anti-Horse Thief Association, the only horse on the rolls and his fellow members are proud of the honor of calling him "brother." He is to lead a parade at the next annual convention.

Neither "Jim" nor "Cap" outwardly shows the marks of years. Both are of the hardy breed which keeps upon its feet, head up and eyes to the front, until the end. Needless to add, both are highly honored citizens of their home town, Guthrie, Ok.



James Kirkwood and "Cap," the veteran horse thief chaser.

The life story of "Jim" Kirkwood reads like that of a creation of fiction. He was little more than a lad when the wanderlust seized him and he ran away from his Scottish home to ship before the mast in a British frigate. His eight years of service under the Union Jack were hard ones and, as Tennyson makes Ulysses say, "I am part of all I have met," much of the iron of his life entered into the soul of the man.



JAMES KIRKWOOD.

He was on the first foreign vessel which sailed up the Yang-tze-kiang and fought with Chinese pirates who were kept from boarding the vessel only when driven away by scalding water from the engine's boilers. He was a member of a force of British sailors and native soldiers sent to convoy a shipment of 60,000 rupees from a bank of Calcutta to the Mohammedan city of Mecca. This expedition formed a caravan with 1600 camels for an overland journey from the seaport of Jedda and was attacked by Bedouins in a mountain pass.

Nearly all the white men were killed, but when the battle was over and the Bedouins were repulsed, Kirkwood was found lying calmly behind the body of a dead camel, pumping rifle shots at the fleeing foe.

He was a member of the Duke of Westminster's expedition to collect Antarctic fauna in 1877. He was 19 months on the cruise, for many weeks of which the ship, the Argos, was caught in an ice jam and floated in the hourly peril of being crushed. That ended his seafaring enterprises. When the cruise was over he came to America.

After spending a few months on an Indiana farm he moved to Texas and became a horse and cattle breeder. He made the two famous Oklahoma homestead races, the first in 1889, and the Cherokee strip rush in 1893. He got a claim in Pawnee County and for the next 10 years lived on it in a dugout.

Such is the man who now heads the State and national Anti-Horse Thief Association. During his time as president he has organized 700 lodges, or a total of over 20,000 members—an army of which he is the head. The association is really the outgrowth of the early day vigilantes, but the methods of the present-day organization are just the reverse of those then used along the borders. Then the thief or desperado was immediately lynched when captured, or "lost in the sands," according to the usual report given after the vigilantes returned from a trip. The aim of the Anti-Horse Thief Association, however, is to assist the law in running down and capturing thieves and in bringing them to trial and conviction. It is the one big farm protective association of the entire country, of which only farmers are members, and all who belong to it are sworn to obey the law whatever it may be.

President Kirkwood reports that in the past 13 years the Oklahoma organization has recovered 683 stolen horses, valued at $79,200, and other property valued at $40,360, or a total of $119,560. During that time the number of horses stolen from members was 410, and 337 of these were recovered. In addition 351 horses were recovered for owners who were not members of the association. Kirkwood personally, during that time, recovered 16 head of horses and 68 head of cattle, with a total value of $3200. He caused the arrest of 12 men and helped send nine of them to the penitentiary.

"Cap" is the only thing that Kirkwood has left of the period he lived in Northern Texas. He raised this horse and also his sire. He refused $1000 cash for "Cap" when he left Texas, but sold the sire for $800. For 14 years "Cap" was in the stud and of his colts that lived Kirkwood places the minimum number at 400.

"The hardest ride that I ever gave 'Cap'," said Kirkwood, "was 14 years ago. Seventeen men escaped from the penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kan., killing several guards. Two of the men came down through the Osage country of Northern Oklahoma and stole two ponies that belonged to a member of our lodge. I rode 'Cap' 116 miles in less than 21 hours, got both the ponies and aided in catching the two thieves at Lawton. They were returned to Leavenworth and are now serving life terms for killing the guards.

"Another hard trip on old 'Cap' was made not long afterward when six head of horses were stolen from the Osage nation, the two thieves going east with them. With two other men I pursued, riding the old black horse, and we overtook the thieves in camp on the Verdigris River. The river was high and the current strong, but nevertheless, in order to escape us, the thieves forced their horses into the river, attempting to cross it. One of the men and four of the horses reached an island, in the river's center, but two of the horses became entangled in the willows that fringed the island's edge and were drowned.

"The other thief had ridden one of the horses that drowned. He was still hanging to the willows, swishing up and down with the current, when I reached him, riding 'Cap.' I slid from the saddle, grabbed the fellow by the cowboy kerchief around his neck, caught my horse by the tail and gave him the word to swim out. He made for the island, where the other thief was waiting for me with his rifle, cocked, but he did not even try to use it. My companions had crossed to the island. We revived the unconscious fellow, placed both of them under arrest and started back. We had to swim the horses a quarter of a mile downstream to get a landing. The four stolen horses were restored to the owner and the thieves were sent to the penitentiary for a year and a day each."

During the presidency of Kirkwood horses and men have been caught as far away as Virginia, Alabama, New Mexico and Nebraska, and brought back to Oklahoma by members of the organization. A member of Mustang lodge lost a mare that was trailed to Alabama. She was found 50 miles from a railroad and returned to Oklahoma with two men, but lack of direct evidence kept them out of prison. Bert Jack, an organization member in Oklahoma County, lost two horses and followed their trail for 42 days, finally recovering the horses and capturing a man and a woman, near Atoka, Ok. The man was sent to the penitentiary. The woman turned out to be the daughter of a prominent Lincoln County farmer.

At the head of the Wynnewood lodge the association had the Rev. Mr. Carmichael, known among the members as the "fighting preacher." A mule was stolen from Carmichael and was trailed to Fort Worth, where it had been sold to the British Government for transportation to South Africa, and sent on to Galveston for shipment. The anti-horse thief members who had trailed the mule, reported the facts to Carmichael and asked for instructions. His reply was:

"Follow them to hell and get the mule or bring back his hide."

When they arrived in Galveston the mule was already on a transport. Attorneys replevined the mule, got him back on shore and shipped him to Wynnewood. The animal was worth about $60 and the cost of recovering him was over $200. Four men were sent to prison as a result of this chase.

Petitions to President Woodrow Wilson are being prepared, at the present time, asking parole or pardon for James Brummitt and George Barclay, two Oklahoma convicts who are serving life terms in the Federal penitentiary at Columbus, O., for killing Capt. J. I. Poole, an Anti-Horse Thief Association leader in the Creek Indian country, in a desperate battle between Poole and his men and Bummitt and Barclay, who had robbed Poole's farm. Their trail through the Cherokee country had been one of robbery, horse stealing and other depredations. The anti-horse thief members under Poole had finally taken the trail and in the Osage country the thieves were overtaken. Brummitt had served a term in the Kansas Penitentiary for larceny, Barclay was a raw but apt recruit, and a third member of the band was an escaped convict from Kansas.

After Poole was killed the other anti-horse thief members took the trio of prisoners and transported them to the Federal Jail in Guthrie. They were tried in the Federal Court at Pawnee and sentenced to hang on June 26, 1901. They were prosecuted by Bird S. McGuire, now member of Congress from Oklahoma. As a last resort the attorneys for the condemned men appealed to President Roosevelt, who commuted their sentences to life imprisonment. A petition, with 7000 signers, was sent to Roosevelt by Kirkwood protesting against the commutation.

President Kirkwood says the first Anti-Horse Thief Association was formed in a log schoolhouse in Northern Missouri, near the Iowa State line, in 1856. It branched over into Iowa, then lapsed during the Civil War and was revived again in Missouri in 1866. The first lodge was instituted in Oklahoma 19 years ago.



With an unloaded gun, Kirkwood cowed the mob, clamoring for his negro captive.

The story of "Jim" Kirkwood's career is not complete unless it includes his display of nerve in Wichita, Kan., in 1900, in holding off an infuriated mob that was determined to lynch a negro who had carved two white men with a razor. The only weapon that Kirkwood had was a 32 rifle, unloaded, and that did not even have a hammer. He was taking the rifle to a gunsmith to have it repaired when the stabbing took place. The negro, a desperate character, eluded the police and escaped. Kirkwood followed the fleeing negro for eight blocks, caught up with him, covered him with the empty, hammerless gun and marched him back to police headquarters.

A mob had collected, bent upon lynching the negro. They tried to take him away from Kirkwood before the police arrived. Kirkwood got his back to a wall, put the negro in front of him to prevent his escape and held the mob off with the empty rifle.

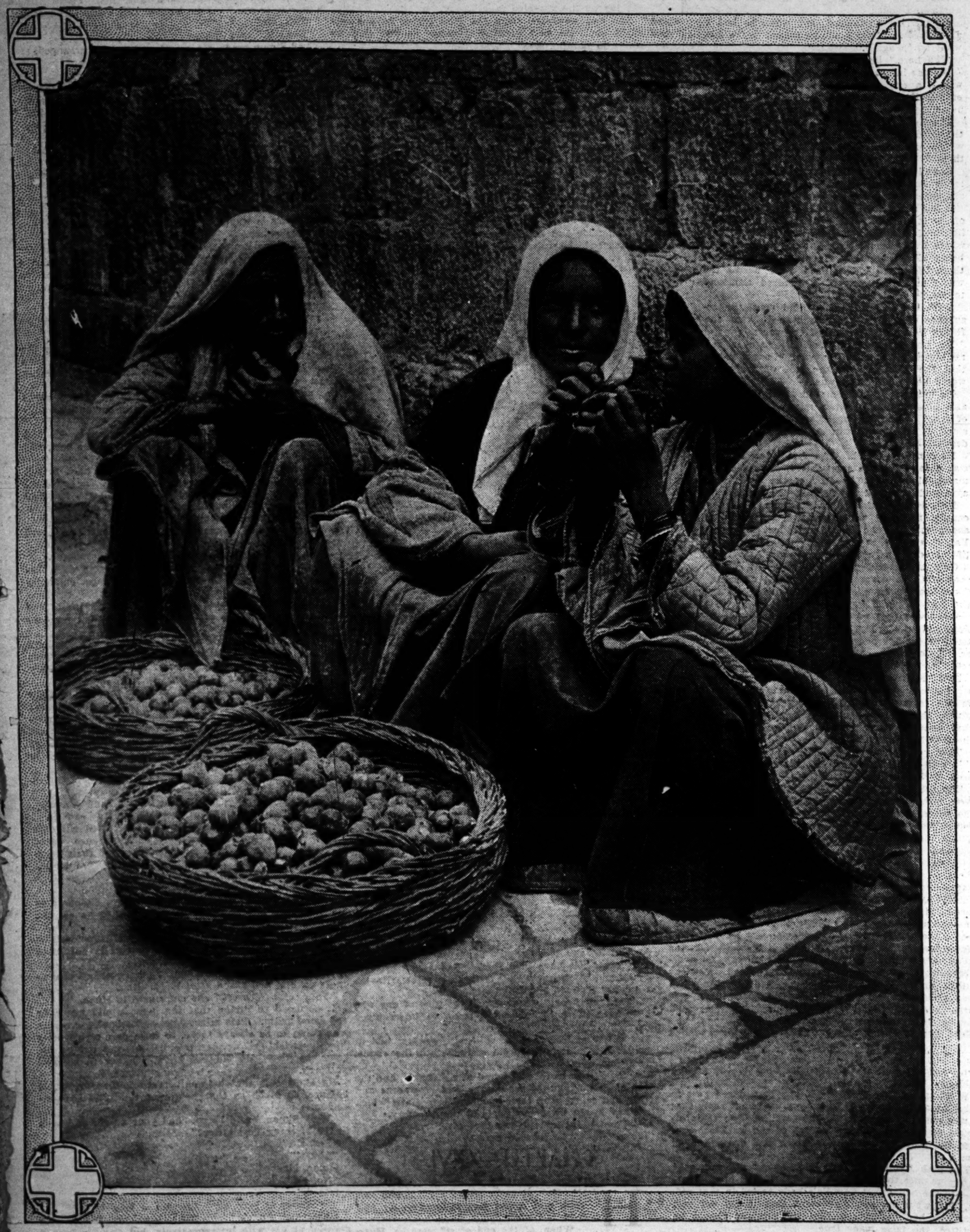
Kirkwood is an outspoken opponent of Gov. Cruce's plan to abolish capital punishment in Oklahoma. He has compiled some crime statistics which, he says, convince him that the Southwest is not ready to abandon the stern code which demands a life for a life.

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BIBLE SCENES WHICH LIVE AGAIN

Photographs taken in the Holy Land of today (where conditions and customs are almost the same as 1900 years ago) illustrating texts from the Scriptures :: ::

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"One basket had very good figs, even like the figs that are first ripe; and the other basket had figs which could not be eaten, they were so bad."—Jeremiah XXIV: 2: Jeremiah VIII: 13.

THESE Syrian countrywomen have just sorted a lot of figs, preparatory for market, and have one basket full of good salable fruit, the other of the rejected figs. Figs and plums, potatoes, peas and beans are sold in the market places of the larger Palestine towns.

The Ambassador's Stickpin

An Adventure of a Police Reporter

By ED. H. HURLBUT

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THE manner of Lanagan's acquiring the Ambassador's stickpin is nearly, if not quite, as interesting as the matter of his losing it. His possession of the pin was simple when one understands the chromatic ways of a police reporter's daily routine; and Jack Lanagan was the "star" police reporter of the city. The surrender of the pin is as easily understood, when one comes to learn something of the devious paths the police reporter is sometimes called on to follow, and the curious and startling situations into which they sometimes lead.

Thus, when Lanagan, drifting indolently with the matinee throngs down Powell street, stopped to hold confab with "King" Monahan, that now retired "King of the Pickpockets," it was natural enough that he should remark on a stickpin of odd design that replaced the accustomed three-carat in the "King's" silk cravat. Gentry who lived by their wits and other people's wealth affect stones of much size. Some policemen wear them, too.

It was natural enough, that the "King," proverbially generous, noticing the glance of interest, should say, "Here, wear it," and with a motion as quick and as deft as a hummingbird's flit, transfer the pin from his tie to that of the newspaper man.

It was then for Lanagan to observe, dryly:

"Your title is certainly earned," as he extracted the pin and offered it back. "But this being a pin of very unusual design, I am afraid I might not be able to wear it as gracefully while awaiting the possible appearance of its owner, as can you. Further, that little exhibition of refined 'touch' you just gave, excites some grave suspicions that you are back at your old tricks."

The one-time "King" knew Lanagan's outspoken ways. Further, he knew perfectly that while the police accepted his declaration of fealty to the law since his last time out—he was a two-timer—and were using him, or thought they were, as a "stool pigeon," Lanagan did not.

"If it hadn't been for what Lombroso classified as the 'criminal lobe,' I might really believe you had reformed," Lanagan had told him once. "But in view of the lynx-like quality of your ears to be all top and no bottom, I am afraid the stamp of an extremely low moral resistance is indelibly upon you."

And Monahan had only grinned then as now, in his ingenious way, uncomprehending, and exalted Lanagan a notch or two. For some minor favor in times gone past, Lanagan had earned and held steadfastly the "King's" unswerving loyalty; not an insignificant asset for a police reporter.

"Jack," said the "King" in pained sincerity, "I'm not passing you no chance. Got it down at Small's. Was shoved for a fiver and I took it out of curiosity. Funny sticker, ain't it? If anybody does make you though, why, of course, hand it over. I like my old spark better anyhow."

Small's, be it said, was probably the thriftiest and crookedest fence inside the county, with the headquarters men on the pawnbroker detail taking orders—and percentages—from him as faithfully as they reported to their captain of detectives. With another of those flits, the "King" placed back in his own necktie his customary brilliant, taken from his vest pocket. Before Lanagan could offer the other pin back the second time, his companion had left. Lanagan examined the pin critically.

It was a "funny sticker," round, of gold and the size and thickness of a quarter. The back was plain, fitted with a patent clasp. On the face was a delicate relief of two eagles, heads out. An eye, a ruby for an iris, was in the exact center. Below the eye were two clasped hands and above, two crossed swords. Woven around the entire design was what he at first took to be a snake, but discovered, on closer scrutiny, to be a rope. It was a delicate and unusual product of the goldsmith's art.

Lanagan puzzled over it for an hour and then concluded:

"Russian, from the eagles; emblem of a secret order, evidently, from the eye; and clasped hands to signify that an oath has been taken and the swords or the rope is the headsman, or the hangman, for a breach of faith. That sounds plausible. But what particular society does it represent?"

He placed it in his tie and was recalling what he had read about Russian secret societies, when he was bumped violently by a short, swarthy individual who had, unknown to him, been following. As Lanagan straightened up he caught a quick flash, as of a message of tacit understanding, in the other's eyes, as he gazed straight at the pin. In another moment a black flat wallet, thin and oblong, had been slipped adroitly into his inside coat pocket; a word which sounded like "scoraya" had been whispered in his ear, and the singular stranger had departed to the street to jump aboard a passing car and disappeared toward the ferry.

Lanagan made it a rule to be surprised at nothing, to accept nothing as coincidence not proved so, and to ignore no trifles. He was interested; highly interested, and he wanted to know what "scoraya" meant. That there was a connection between the pin and the wallet was, to him, clear. Possibly "scoraya" might help him.

In Fogarty's back room, hard by police headquarters, he found Petroff, Russian interpreter in the police courts.

"What does a word that sounds like 'scoraya' mean?" he asked.

"It means 'hurry,' 'at once,' or any such meaning. It is what you Americans say, 'get a move on,'" said Petroff.

Sitting apart Lanagan unfastened the black seal-skin wallet and drew out a single sheet of paper, encased in a protection of oiled skin. There were written on the paper in a bold, strong hand, an even dozen words; words that sent his breath whistling through his teeth. It was in English, plain, clear, and signed by a name that gave even the imperturbable Lanagan a mighty start.

"Undoubtedly," mused Lanagan, "they either have a system believed infallible, or they are mighty reckless of State secrets—and they are not reckless. Therefore the system has slipped a cog, and I am the anointed bearer of the message of His Serene Majesty, Nicholas. I appear to be on the knees of the gods," he went on, as he wandered the streets, perplexed. "It's possible, barely possible, that I am tangled in some monumental hoax. But I don't believe it. If I don't miss my guess I will be giving the austere Mr. Sampson, damned of all men of my tribe, the biggest exclusive his sweatshop paper has turned out in this generation. But—I need more coincidences. I am plainly stumped."

He had stopped by Lotto's Fountain, where the traffic patrolman was endeavoring to untangle a jam of trucks and automobiles.

Out of the very air, as though in weird solution to his perplexity, it came again:

"Scoraya!"

Lanagan wheeled to find the voice. He had thought he must turn directly upon the man. There was no one near him save the occupant of a limousine, two feet away. The passenger was apparently engrossed in the evening paper. The window, though, was open. Lanagan watched him covertly from the corner of his eye.

The limousine, the traffic jam relieved, pulled slowly ahead, but Lanagan could have sworn that the benign



"The 'King' transferred the pin from his tie to that of the newspaper man."

gentleman within, just before it did, turned fully upon him with a scrutiny of deliberate coolness. It was a casual thing, such as might have happened to anyone; but it appeared to Lanagan that there was a look of secret understanding in the other's eyes, as they dropped twice to the stickpin and returned to Lanagan's face, as though in inquiry. Lanagan took the number of the car, 89,776, and then returned to headquarters. He wanted to see from the police register to whom machine 89,776 belonged.

When he ran through the pages to the number, the ragtime air he was whistling—very incorrectly—quickened in tempo.

"89,776—owner—Boris Koshloff—2224 Pacific avenue, San Francisco."

Boris Koshloff, a wealthy Russian portrait painter, had dropped into San Francisco with introductions, some months before. He had earned a high repute for the elegance of the soirees given at his house, and had figured in the public prints, moreover, in other days. On one occasion, a burglar, found prowling within the Koshloff drawing room, had been shot and killed by Koshloff, who thereupon was lionized to a considerable extent by the neurotic and sentimental elements of his circle.

He had figured again, when a household servant had fallen from his second story window, receiving frightful injuries. Although during his raving in delirium the servant cried frequently "Spare me! spare me!" and had led some cynical reporters on the hospital beat to suspect foul play, nothing was ever proved in face of Koshloff's explanation that the servant fell in cleaning windows. After the man recovered sufficiently, he was removed by Koshloff to a private hospital, and there he passed from the scope of the newsgatherers and hence from public attention.

Now, it might be well to say here, and before the reader is too far carried away by the story, that the curious chronicles of the happenings about to be recorded must rest for all time, for their authentication, in five quarters: the Russian Government, the American Department of State, Jack Lanagan, "King" Monahan, and myself.

It is not probable that either the Russian or American governments would affirm the truth of the facts recorded. As for the rest—the extraordinary series of complications following the receipt of the stickpin, the use of a device like the stickpin as the connecting link in a grave international crisis, the use of the personal courier rather than cipher-code—they must all be accepted on my word, the word of Lanagan, or the word of "King" Monahan, who first received the pin. To such as are unwilling to accept that proof, the story must be read solely as a bit of fiction.

Lanagan strolled back to the Enquirer. I had just finished several yards of real estate junk for the business office, and was as grouchy as the brother of the tribe always is, when assigned to do business office write-ups.

"Fine line for an able-bodied reporter," said Lanagan cynically, looking over my shoulder. "Turn that rot in and come with me and be a real reporter. I'll give you a story that will make the A. P. wires hum to the four corners of the earth—provided my hunch don't go altogether wrong."

He spoke to Sampson, telling him that there was a bare chance of something turning up on the Russo-Japanese situation, and asked for me to be detailed to accompany him.

"Good," replied Sampson, "get after it. We haven't broken a story on that yet. The Eastern papers are having a lot of stuff on the Secretary of State, though. He has dropped out of sight; the A. P. is bringing in a story broken by the Sun, that his supposed sickness was all bunk, and that as a matter of fact he has been out of Washington for a week. Supposed to be in New York on some confab with the Russian Ambassador who is at the Waldorf-Astoria. The Ambassador denies any such conference. It's a hot yarn. Try to turn up an end on it out here."

Lanagan suggested supper and as we lingered over our coffee and cigars, he briefly outlined the situation. I read the astounding message and must confess that I was stirred to a very unprofessional pitch of excitement. Before taking a car for Pacific avenue, we dropped in at police headquarters where Lanagan met Chief Leslie, that shrewd thief-taker, and they were in earnest talk for 10 minutes.

In his police report Lanagan had the superlative advantage of Leslie's confidence. That famous chief had indeed as high a regard for Lanagan's work as for that of his own men. Leslie stood many a "roast" from the opposition papers for his habit of programming with Lanagan, and for turning over his men to the service of the newspaper man more than once.

As we rode to our destination Lanagan instructed me to take a position, well concealed, opposite the Koshloff house, wait until midnight, and then if he did not appear, telephone to headquarters where Brady and Wilson, two of Leslie's best men, would be in readiness with the police automobile. We were to force the house.

"For it's just possible," said Lanagan lightly, "that I can't escape delivering my packet. If they once drop to me, it may be interesting. That 'burglar' shot by Koshloff takes on rather a new importance. Likewise that foreigner, who was all broken up in an accidental fall from Koshloff's second story window. I rather look forward to a run-in with this gentleman of mystery and his retinue of 'scorayer's.' But don't wait for midnight. Brady will have a search warrant on some 'phony charge or other, and you can tear right in."

We parted company several blocks from the Koshloff mansion. It was nearing 9:30. I found a hiding place almost directly opposite, slipped in, and in a few moments saw Lanagan walk briskly up the stairs of the Russian's house. He was whistling a bit of ragtime; as usual off key.

His insouciance cheered me. Frankly, I was nervous; a weakness I cannot seem to overcome. I have never failed Lanagan yet at a crisis, and I suppose, on results, am as brave as he. But in my own heart I know I am not. Possibly gifted with a little more imagination than he, I can see further; picture the slab at the morgue, the gang in the police reporter's room chipping in for a floral piece while somebody tries to relieve the strain by saying something funny; Johnny O'Grady or Jim Bradley, or some of the others of the old guard delegated to the pleasant detail of carrying the news home; it was always the same. I always had that faculty, as Hamlet says, of thinking too precisely on the event.

The door opened to Lanagan's ring, and he passed from my sight to be ushered along the main hall, down a flight of steps, through another long hall, carpeted richly, with niches here and there holding exquisite statuary, to a billiard room paneled in richest mahogany. From the conduct of his guide it was apparent that he was expected. In the billiard room two smooth-shaven, trim, keen-eyed men were playing a desultory game. Surmise was bulking large within Lanagan's breast. He had seen that same type before. Secret service was stamped as indelibly upon them as his vocation is stamped upon the upper office man.

A light tattoo on a paneling, an answering tattoo, another staccato and the panel slid back and the odor of black cigars was heavy on the air as Lanagan stepped into a small compartment, the panel slipping noiselessly shut behind him as his guide disappeared. At a table were seated two men, facing him.

One of the two he recognized: Koshloff. But the other! Lanagan looked hard. There could be no mistake; those features had been looming from the front pages of the papers too frequently for any mistake. Lanagan stood without speaking, but before his mind's eye was dancing the front page of tomorrow's Enquirer. He would lay a seven column lead across that page that would carry around the world.

It was Koshloff who spoke.

"Have you the packet? Yes? Would you present it?"

Then, in a low voice to the other, as Lanagan calmly placed the sealskin wallet upon the table, Koshloff murmured:

"Assuredly my superiors must know their business. But I cannot comprehend the disappearance of Carlos and the transfer of the pin and packet to the stranger.

"Tell Czar Nicholas the President's Answer Is - - - Yes!"

It must be in order, however. Our system has never failed" that seven-column scorehead in the Enquirer—the exclu-

HUGO * By Arthur Stringer

BATTLE WITH A MADMAN IN GHASTLY GLOOM OF A CEMETERY

"They were at the end of their brief honeymoon. Life lay before Hugo and Camilla. They looked at each other, satisfied, happy, expecting glorious things from fate." . . . . .

memory like a sort of night picture in which all the minor details of life are lost in large, vague glooms, and only central figures of the composition emerge clearly, in a sharp and striking brilliance, against the mysterious background. He knew himself in the cemetery, and immediately, by a tremendous effort of the brain, he had arranged his knowledge of the place and decided exactly where he was.

Instinctively he ran by side alleys till he came to the broad central way which cuts this vast field of the dead north and south.

He hurried northward, and when he had gone about a hundred and fifty yards he turned to the left, and then went north again.

"It's here," he muttered.

He was in the middle of that strange and sinister city within a city, that flat expanse of silence, decay and putrefaction which is surrounded on every side by the pulsating arteries of London.

The living visit the dead during the day, but at night the dead are left to themselves, and the very flowers which embroider their dissolution close up and forget them.

Round him everywhere trees and shrubs moved restlessly and plaintively in the night breeze; the angular gravestones raised their kindly lines in the darkness.

A few stars flickered in the sky; no moon. And miles off, so it seemed, north, south, east and west, the yellow lights of human habitations, the lights of warm rooms where living people were so engaged in the business of being alive that they actually forgot death—these lights winked to each other across the waste and desolation of a hundred thousand tombs.

With the certainty of a blind man, the assurance of a seer who has divined what the future holds, he approached the vault.

He was aware that the little gate in the railing would be open. It was. He was aware that the iron door in the side of the vault would be unlocked. It was.

He pushed it and entered. All difficulties and hindrances had been removed. No odor of death greeted his nostrils, unless the strong smell of chloroform can be called the odor of death.

He struck a match. The first thing he saw was a candle and a screwdriver, and then the match blew out. The door of the vault was ajar, and he would not close it. He dared not.

He struck another match and put it to the candle, and the vault was full of jumping shadows. And he looked and looked again. Yes, down in that corner she lay, motionless, lifeless, done with forever and ever.

Only her face was visible. The rest of her seemed to be covered with a man's overcoat, flung hastily down. He stared, enchanted by the horror.

What was that white stuff round her head? Part of it seemed to be torn, and a strip fluttered across her closed eyelids. He went nearer. He touched—cold! Could she be so soon cold?

And then the truth swept over him, and almost swept his senses away, that this image in the corner was not she, but merely that waxen thing made by the sculptor in Paris, that counterfeit which had deceived him in the drawing room of the flat.

Then where was she? And why was not this counterfeit in its coffin, in which it had been buried with all the rites of the church?

The coffin? Yes, the coffin was there at his feet, with its brass plate, which had rusted at the corners; and below it, in some undefined depth, was another coffin, the sarcophagus of Tudor himself. He stooped and shifted the candle.

On Camilla's coffin were a number of screws, rolled about in various directions; only one screw was in its place.

He seized the screwdriver—and in that moment a tiny part of his intelligence found leisure to decide that this screwdriver was slightly longer than the one he had used aforetime for a similar purpose—and he unscrewed the solitary screw and raised the lid of the coffin, letting all the screws roll off it with a great rattle. An overwhelming rush of chloroform vapor escaped. She lay within, dressed in her black dress, and her dress had been crammed into the coffin hastily, madly, and was thrust down in thick, disorderly folds about her feet, and her hair half covered her face.

And her face was slightly flushed, and her eyelids quivered, and the cheeks were warm. He put his hands under her armpits and wrenched her out and carried her from the vault. And then he sank to the ground sobbing.

What caused him to sob? If any man dared now to ask him, and if he dared to answer, he might reply that it was not grief nor joy, nor the reaction from an intolerable strain, but simply the idea of the terrific heartbreaking cruelty of Ravengar which had dragged from him a sob.

The path followed by the madman's brain was easy to pursue once the clew was found. He had been cheated into the belief that Camilla's body rested in that coffin, and when he had discovered that it did not rest there, he had determined that the mistake should be rectified, the false made true.

That seemed to him logical and just. She was supposed to be in the coffin; she should really be in the coffin; she should be forced and jammed into it. And his lunatic and inhuman fancy had added even to that conception.

She should be drugged and carried to the vault, and drugged again, and then immured, unconscious, but alive; and if by chance she awoke from the chloroform sleep after he had finished screwing in the screws, so much the better.

So it was that his mind had worked. And the scheme had been executed with that courage, that calmness, that audacity, that minute attention to detail, of which only madmen at their maddest appear to be capable. Beyond any question the scheme would have succeeded had not Hugo, the moment Albert Shawn uttered the word "cemetery," perceived the general trend of it in a single wondrous flash of intuition.

He had guessed it, and even while afraid to believe that he was right, had known absolutely and convincingly that he was right.

Camilla murmured some phrase and gave a sigh as she lay on the graveled path.

She had recovered from the fatal torpor in the cool night air. He said nothing, because he felt that he could do nothing else.

Albert and Simon were certainly looking for him in the maze of the cemetery; they would find him soon. It did not seem to him extraordinary that he had left them in that sudden, swift fashion without a word.

Then he heard, or thought he heard, a noise in the vault, and, summoning all his strength of will, he descended the steps again and glanced within.

Ravengar was there. Had he been there all the time, hidden behind the door? Or had he fled and stealthily returned? Only Ravengar could say.

He had taken up the image from the corner and was replacing it in the coffin. It was as if he had bowed his obstinate purpose to some higher power which was inscrutable to him. Children and madmen can practice this singular and surprising fatalism.

Disturbed, he raised his head and caught sight of Hugo. They gazed at one another by the flickering candle.



"Yes—down in that corner she lay, motionless, lifeless, done with forever and ever."

"Where's the man who helped you?" Hugo demanded faintly.

He had not much heart, much force, much firmness left. Ravengar's eyes, at once empty and significant, blank and yet formidable, startled him.

He had the revolver and the handcuffs in his pocket, but he could not have used them. Ravengar's eyes, so fiendish and so ineffably sad, melted his spine. Ravengar stepped forward and Hugo stepped back.

"Let me pass," said Ravengar, in the tone of one who has suffered much and does not mean to suffer much more.

And Hugo let him pass, inexplicably, weakly; and at the end of a narrow path he merged into the vague, general darkness.

And then Hugo heard the sound of a struggle, and the voices of Simon and Albert—young and boisterous and earthly and sane. And then scampering footfalls which died away in the uttermost parts of the cemetery.

And Camilla sat up, rubbing her eyes.

"It's all right," he soothed her.

CHAPTER XXVI.

Beauty.

"HUM! He's going to marry her," Simon had said, and Albert had said, and Lily had said. "I knew it all along."

When, at the end of six months, Hugo went away, much furnishing of rooms near the dome took place by his orders during his absence.

Yet here was Hugo back at the end of the fortnight, radiant certainly, but alone.

"There was one little matter I forgot," Hugo began, rather timidly, as Simon thought, when assured that everything was in order.

"Yes, sir," said Simon.

"I want you to be good enough to give up your room."

"My room, sir?"

"To oblige a lady."

"A lady, sir?"

"I should say a lady's lady."

Simon paused. He was wounded, but he could not show it.

"With pleasure, sir."

"Tonight," Hugo proceeded, "you can occupy my bed in the dome," and he pointed to the spot where, during the day, the bed lay ingeniously hidden in a recess of the wall.

"I shall no longer need it. Tomorrow we can make some more permanent arrangement for you."

"Yes, sir."

"Also," Hugo continued, "I would like you to go along to the offices of the Morning Post for me some time tonight before 10 o'clock and take this. There will be a guinea to pay." Hugo handed him a slip of paper.

"Yes, sir."

"Read it," said Hugo.

And Simon read: "A marriage has been arranged, and—and—has taken place, sir?"

"Precisely."

"Precisely, sir. 'Has taken place at Hythe between Mr. Owen Hugo of Sloane street, London, and Mrs. Camilla Tudor, widow of the late Mr. Francis Tudor.'"

"You are the first to know, Simon."

Simon bowed.

"May I respectfully venture to wish you every happiness, sir?" Simon pronounced in his most formal tone.

"No, you may not," said Hugo. "But you may shake hands with me."

And he respectfully ventured to explain to Simon how, in the case of a man like himself, with 3500 tongues ever ready to wag about him, absolute secrecy had been the only policy.

"Telephone down to the refreshment department for Tortoni to come up to me instantly. I must order a dinner for two. My wife and her maid will be here in half an hour. I shall not want you—at any rate, before 10:30 or so."

"Yes, sir. And the maid?"

"What about the maid?"

"You said you would order dinner for two, sir."

"Look here, Simon," said Hugo. "If you will take the maid down to dine in the central restaurant and keep her there—take her with you for a drive to the Morning Post—I shall regard it as a favor. Catch!"

And he threw Simon the cold token which made Simon master of all the good things in the entire building. "Make use of that."

Simon felt a little nervous at the prospect. He had not seen the maid. However, he hoped for the best, and assured Hugo of his delight.

"I forgot to inform you, sir," he turned back to tell Hugo as he was leaving the room, "Dr. Darcy called again today. He has called several times the last few days. He said he might look in again tonight."

The bridegroom started.

"If he should," Hugo ordered, "don't say I'm in till you've warned me."

"Yes, sir."

Three hours later the bride and bridegroom were finishing one of the distinguished Tortoni's most elaborate dinners.

Tortoni had protested that it was destructive of the elementary principles of art to order a dinner for 8:30 at 7 o'clock.

However, he had not completely failed. The waiters had departed and Camilla, in dazzling ivory white, was pouring out coffee. Hugo was cutting a cigar. They did not speak; they felt.

They were at the end of their brief honeymoon, and the day was at an end. The last remnants of twilight had vanished, and through the eastern windows of the dome the moon was rising.

Neither the hour nor the occasion made for talkativeness. Life lay before Hugo and Camilla. Both were honestly convinced that they had not lived till that hour—that hour whence dated the commencement of their regular united existence. They looked at each other, satisfied, happy, expecting glorious things from fate.

There was a discreet alarm at the door. Simon came in. It would have been a gross solecism to knock, but Simon performed the equivalent.

He paused, struck when he beheld Camilla, as well he might; for Camilla was such a vision as is not often vouchsafed to the Simons of this world.

She was peerless that evening. And she smiled charmingly on him and asked after his health.

"Your coffee, dearest," she murmured to Hugo.

It occurred to Simon that the dome would never be the same again. This miraculous and amazing creature was going to be always there, to form part of his daily life, to swish her wonderful skirts in and out of the room, to—to— He did not know whether to be glad or sorry.

He knew only that he was perturbed, thrown off his balance, so much so that he forgot to explain his invasion.

"Well, Simon," said Hugo, "had your dinner and been to the Morning Post office?"

"Yes, sir."

"Alone?"

Simon blushed.

"No, sir."

"Good."

"Dr. Darcy is here, sir. Are you at home?"

Hugo had utterly forgotten about Dr. Darcy. He glanced at his wife interrogatively, but Camilla looked at the moon through the window.

"Show Dr. Darcy in in five minutes," said Hugo.

"Poor old Darcy!" exclaimed Camilla when they were alone. "Does he know?"

"Know what? That we are married? No. I wrote to him nearly six months ago to tell him that you were safe and all that, and he acknowledged the letter on a postcard. Afterward I sent him that trifle of money that you owed him, and he sent stamped receipt."

"He always hides his feelings," said Camilla. "This will be a blow for him."

"How?"

"Didn't he tell you he was most violently in love with me in Paris?"

"He did not," said Hugo. "Did he tell you?"

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The Ambassador's Stickpin

"Tell Czar Nicholas the President's Answer Is - - - Yes!"

"You might as well sit on a barrel of giant powder," said the Secretary, "and drop your cigar and expect to save a button, as to print that story now and avoid war."

It must be in order, however. Our system has never failed."

He turned a shrewd gaze upon Lanagan, studying him intently.

"When do you return?" he asked finally.

"Just as soon as I am permitted to," replied Lanagan with perfect truth.

"Strange," muttered Koshloff in the other's ear. "Peculiar. It is the answer. We have no choice. It must be in order."

Without more ado the packet was opened and Koshloff presented the slip in silence to his companion. That man, of massive, intellectual forehead and deep set, penetrating eyes, scanned it carefully and pondered long, Koshloff watching him with half closed but eager eyes.

"Tell your Imperial Master," said the other, turning sharply upon Lanagan and speaking with clean incisiveness, "that you met the Secretary of State in person, and that the Secretary, speaking for his excellency the President, says, that the answer of the President is—yes."

The Secretary of State, 10 days disappeared from Washington, out here on the western fringe of the continent, pledging the attitude of the United States in the threatened Russo-Japanese conflict and not a line in any paper in the world to indicate the whereabouts of the Secretary, his business, or the definite attitude of the United States in the impending conflict!

It was the story of a newspaper man's lifetime.

"Carry the verbal message, or transmit it to your relief," instructed Koshloff. "Conditions may not make packets safe by the time you reach the Orient. You may go. You have funds? Your pin is safe?"

"I have," said Lanagan, who, with two days to go to pay day, had about 65 cents. He indicated the pin with a gesture and turned on his heel for the panel, to be stopped by a sudden muffled uproar from the billiard room, a sound of excited shrill cries of scuffling.

Neither the Secretary nor Koshloff moved a muscle; neither did Lanagan. He was thoroughly in possession of himself. Two panels swiftly and noiselessly slid open at the farther wall of the room, and two smooth-shaven, trim, keen-eyed men stepped into the room alertly and took their places beside the Secretary's chair.

"Mr. Secretary travels with the entire Secret Service Bureau," Lanagan found time to comment to himself.

There was a tattoo on the panel from the billiard room. The Secretary held up his hand for silence and motioned one of the secret service agents, who stepped noiselessly to the panel and listened. The tapping came again.

"Answer," commanded the Secretary "It is over, whatever it was."

The panel slid open. Through the aperture came one of the billiard players, flashing a quick, steely glance upon Lanagan.

"Balked, by the eternal!" shot through Lanagan's mind. "The owner of that pin has shown up. It's now or never." He stepped casually to the panel; it was a fine chance. Once through there, he could make a fight for the front door—and the seven column exclusive in the Enquirer.

Directly before him, fairly filling the space of the panel, was the other billiard player. It was quick action. Lanagan shot out his right for the man's jaw; but his arm got about half way. A grip like an iron clamp had him just above the elbow He was whirled face about, a secret service man on either side.

As though nothing had happened, the man who had first entered through the panel door spoke:

"There is a person outside somewhat excited who wishes to speak to Mr. Koshloff. He said to say it was Carlos."

Koshloff leaped for the doorway and in a moment more had dragged fairly by the hair of his head, a wild-eyed, dark-visaged person who, when he straightened up, perceived the pin in Lanagan's tie and made a tigerish spring for him, a dirk gleaming in a half arc as he leaped. But the right fist of one of the secret agents met him en route, and the frenzied Carlos was disarmed. He staggered to his feet, striving vainly to get at Lanagan.

"Thief! Robber! Death to him! Death to him who dares rob the messenger of His Imperial Majesty, Nicholas!"

"The gentleman appears to be teething," remarked Lanagan.

Koshloff pressed a button and two swarthy giants appeared. He indicated Carlos with a nod. "He wore the pin, but he has failed in his obligation. He must receive discipline." The miserable wretch fell to his knees with upraised hands, supplicating.

"Ah, no, Sire! My wife! My babies! Ten minutes too late, or I would have had it back and this sneak thief's life!"

But Koshloff frowned impatiently and in a second more Carlos was whisked away, a weird scream floating back wearily from some hidden corridor to indicate the terror that gripped him. There was something in that scream of fear of more than the knout. As it rang through Lanagan's ears, he recalled the crossed swords and the hangman's noose of the pin. It was clear enough. There would be another burglar killed. He wheeled upon Koshloff.

"Prof. Koshloff, or whoever or whatever you are," he said in a tone of deadly acidity, "that man is turned out of here unharmed by so much as a scratch, or I'll have you snaked into the city prison within 24 hours, and some other very general suspicions will incidentally be given an airing. You may be the right eye of the right hand of His Serene Majesty Nicholas, but I'm Jack Lanagan of the San Francisco Enquirer, and in my own particular bailiwick, something of a czar myself. You're a long way from Russia right now. You're in little old San Francisco. Did you get me?"

The cat-like quality of Lanagan's eyes to glow under the stress of anger or great excitement, exhibited itself. His face in anger was not what was calculated to put infants to slumber. He had forgotten the Secretary for the moment; the agents had all withdrawn. He was recalled to him when that person, taking his cigar from his teeth and gazing upon its ash contemplatively, said in even tones:

"I think possibly you are unduly exercising yourself. Something of a Czar?" The smooth voice went on. "Indeed, and it is a pleasure to meet the Czar of the bailiwick of San Francisco," and the Secretary bowed profoundly and gravely. "Now let us talk business, Mr. Lanagan.

"As for Carlos, his case is absolutely ex-territorial so far as we are concerned. Please inform me how you came by that packet and pin—eavesdropping in matters of State? Do you young men of the press hold nothing sacred? Not your country's peace or the peace of other nations?"

"So far as that goes," retorted Lanagan, coolly, "and not condescending to take note of your 'eavesdropping,' we young men of the press have a duty to our papers which our papers in turn owe to the people. In this case it is a clear duty. By what right do you or any other man, President or not, arrogate to yourself the power to hold this secret caucus, resting your country's stand in this grave affair entirely upon the judgment of one or two men? You are the servant of the people. Let the whole people know where you are now and what you are doing. Get the sentiment of your country before you plunge into this agreement. I personally most emphatically disagree with the answer you are sending back. The public are as likely to think my way as yours."

The Secretary looked bored. "It is not possible."

"With this exception," grimly. Lanagan turned for the panel and sought the spring. "It is 10 minutes after 12," he said laconically. "I must leave here.



"Carlos perceived the pin in Lanagan's tie and made a tigerish leap for him."

Open the door, if you please."

Neither man moved. The Secretary said:

"We have not quite covered our ground. You have not answered my question."

"The pin I received from a friend who claimed to have taken it from a pawnshop. The packet was put in my pocket by a swarthy man who met me on the street and who said 'scoraya.' So did another chap in Koshloff's automobile. I wanted to see the thing through that so accidentally came my way.

"Now, when I came in here I did not come alone. I am fully aware that nations, planning wars to cost hundreds of thousands of lives, would not scruple at one. My friends should be breaking in here now. I told them to give me until 12 o'clock.

"So far as your man Carlos is concerned, I can only surmise that he was to meet a courier at the steamer, but had his pin stolen from him. The courier then wandered the streets seeking the pin, and by happy chance tumbled against me wearing it, and likewise wandering the streets. The other 'scoraya' boy I presume was one of Koshloff's secret service men, sent out to see that the messenger reached here safely. He must have likewise picked me up on the matinee promenade by accident."

"Correctly reasoned," murmured Koshloff. "And I believe you have cleared the situation. A most remarkable series of coincidences; but then, anything may happen in this remarkable city of yours."

"Do I go peaceably?" asked Lanagan, glancing at his watch. His voice hardened a trifle. It was 12:30.

"After—ah—a bit," purred Koshloff, and the next instant was gazing into Lanagan's police Colt's.

Koshloff lifted his hand with an indolent gesture, to push the muzzle to one side, took a look into Lanagan's eyes, thought better of it, and turned with mock deprecation to the Secretary. That gentleman was watching Lanagan with frank admiration.

"We've got a place for you, Mr. Lanagan," he said, heartily, "any time you care to come to Washington."

Lanagan was nettled. Here were keen, quick-witted, level-headed men poking fun at his spectacular display. Because they were of the quick intuitions of the exceptional mind, they fathomed his mind and knew that he would not shoot. Lanagan felt rather boyish for a fleeting second; got himself in perspective, as it were, and grinned at the grotesqueness of the situation. Then that seven-column scarehead in the Enquirer—the exclusive that was to hum around the world, focussed before him.

"Open that door!"

Koshloff arose then. There is something singularly compelling about a blue-nosed revolver six inches from your temple, regardless of any psychological convention you may have that the man is not going to use it. But whether Lanagan would have carried the situation through successfully cannot be answered. For at that moment there came a tapping on the panel. Koshloff stopped at a signal from Lanagan. The tapping came again. The Secretary spoke:

"The situation is becoming strained, however diverting it may be to all of us For my part, here are three men, all presumably of minds trained to meet sudden exigencies, and yet no one of us can solve this one. But other matters seem to be pressing." The tapping was becoming more insistent. "Let us call a truce, Mr. Lanagan, of precisely 10 minutes. At the end of that time I give you my word we will return matters to just their present condition. Is it agreeable?"

"Absolutely," said Lanagan, pocketing his revolver.

Koshloff sprang across the room and tapped. He was answered to his satisfaction, for the panel slid open, and after a whispered consultation with one of the secret service men, Koshloff stood from before the panel and—

I, Norton, my hands neatly manacled behind me, was ushered into the room.

Never will I forget the look on Lanagan's face. For at least three seconds, he was jolted out of his traditional immobility. His look was mingled alarm, surprise and amusement.

"Poor Norrie!" half-banteringly, half-serious. "Poor old blunderbuss. I have certainly got him in a fine mess, him and his sick wife at home."

I was so glad to see that nothing had happened to him, that I paid little attention to the other two for the moment. I was telling him how I waited until 12:15 and had just determined on telephoning headquarters for Brady and Wilson when, standing as I supposed well concealed, I was suddenly pinioned by two figures that seemed to start up from the earth, handcuffed and hustled where we now were.

"I must compliment you on your organization," said Lanagan ironically, bowing toward Koshloff. Around that gentleman's bearded lips played the faintest trace of a mocking smile. I could fancy how that smile ground into the proud soul of Lanagan.

The Secretary was growing impatient.

"The 10 minutes, Mr. Lanagan?" he queried.

Lanagan turned and looked at me a long time.

"You should have obeyed orders," he said finally. "I told you to give me until 12; not 12:15."

It was the first time in his life Lanagan had ever criticised me, and it cut to the quick. I knew then how bitter his disappointment was.

"What is your 'proposition?'" he said, turning abruptly to the Secretary, whom I had at once recognized as well as Koshloff.

"I haven't any 'proposition,' Mr. Lanagan. It is simply that neither the Russian Government nor our Government can afford to let the world powers know that the Secretary of State journeyed, incognito, across the American continent, to reach a diplomatic agreement with Russia. Don't you realize what the publication of that unprecedented thing would mean?

"My only proposition is a declaration. You hear most important information. It would undoubtedly make a splendid news sensation tomorrow morning. But you cannot possibly see the great dangers you would involve your country in. You might as well sit on a barrel of giant powder, and drop your cigar and expect to save so much as a collar button, as to print that story now and avoid war.

"My being here was absolutely a matter imperative for sufficient reasons. It was necessary that I present myself to Mr. Koshloff in person. That is all.

"I know newspaper men. Among the Washington correspondents I number many warm friends. I will take the judgment upon myself of placing you both upon your honor. If I permit you to go free from here, your lips are inviolately sealed for all time, upon the contents of that telegram. So far as I am concerned, that cannot be used until such time as this trouble has been adjusted; or, let me say, until the present administration is out of power at Washington."

Into the stillness that followed I could distinctly hear Lanagan's teeth grind together. Those remarkable eyes of his seemed fairly to emit a stream of fire, they blazed so fiercely upon Koshloff and the Secretary. He threw a sweeping glance around the room. It was a look for all the world like you see in the eyes of a caged tiger when he is aroused. For my part, there was a quick drop some place under my diaphragm. I was thinking of my sick wife, and the consequences to her of being held a State's prisoner.

His hand went to his pocket and he half drew his revolver; but it was rather a subconscious act, I think, than any deliberate design to use it. For Government, after all, is a potent thing. We fight for it and die for it. It has a splendid and natural influence not to be lightly tossed from us. And here sat one of Government's highest representatives. Lanagan's hand dropped to his side.

"That is better," said the Secretary. "For really, Mr. Lanagan, you cannot move from this room until we say the word. You are as helpless as though you were shackled. It is late and we have important work to do. Your answer?"

It was almost pitiable to see Lanagan then. He of a score of brilliant newspaper victories, the genius of his

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BATTLE WITH A MADMAN IN GHASTLY GLOOM OF A CEMETERY

HUGO • By Arnold Bennett

Hugo finds Camilla, drugged with chloroform, in a coffin where Ravengar's crazy vengeance has left her to die. . . . . .

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CHAPTER XXIV.

Second Triumph of Simon.

"COME up at once," Hugo whispered. "Door opposite top of stairs."

And he threw down onto the pavement a latchkey.

"What do you think of yourself now, Si?" Albert asked his brother, as they entered the house. "You've let yourself in for something at last."

They found Hugo in an ordinary bed-sitting room. He was wearing his hat and his overcoat and staring out of the open window.

It was a cold night, but he did not seem to feel the icy draft which blew into the apartment. The whole of his attention appeared to be concentrated on No. 23.

He did not at first even turn to look at the brothers when they came in. They explained themselves.

"I will tell you why I am here, and what has occurred to me," said Hugo, playing, perhaps rather nervously, with the knife and cheese plate which still lay on the small table by the window. "Then we can decide what to do. I've hired this room."

No doubt existed in his mind that Simon had happened upon the track of the veritable living Ravengar.

It could not be a coincidence that a man so strongly resembling Ravengar, a man posing as a doctor, and buying nearly a sovereign's worth of chloroform, should be occupying rooms in the same house as Camilla.

The tremendous revelation of Ravengar's genius for strategem and intrigue afforded by the recital of the two brothers came upon Hugo with a dazing shock.

This man, whom he knew from Camilla's own story to be curiously deficient in ordinary human sentiments, had arranged a sham suicide for the benefit of the general public. He had let Hugo into the secret of that deception, but only to cheat him with another deception, and a more monstrous one.

The brain that could conceive the fiction of suicide in the vault—a fiction which, while lulling Hugo into a false security as regards Camilla's safety, at the same time poisoned his happiness—such a brain might be capable of unimagined horrors.

Sane or mad, the mere existence of that brain was a menace before which Hugo trembled. He realized that Ravengar had been consumately acting during the latter part of their interview on the first day of the sale, and again consummately acting when he spoke to Hugo on the telephone.

Ravengar had, beyond doubt, deliberately set himself to lure Camilla back to England, and he had succeeded. Beyond doubt, all her movements had been spied and marked, and Ravengar had been in a position to complete his arrangements—whatever his arrangements were—at leisure and with absolute freedom. She had taken a room in Horseferry road, and he had followed. What was the sequel to be?

That she was in his power at that moment Hugo could not question.

And the chloroform?

At that moment Ravengar had met at that the Hugo building should have been a funeral pyre—a spectacle to petrify the metropolis. And it seemed to Hugo that if Ravengar was mad, as he must be, he could only have designed the spectacle as something final, as at once a last revenge and an accompaniment to the supreme sacrifice of Camilla.

"We must get into that house immediately," said Hugo, when he had finished his own narrative. "The question is how we can do it?"

"I've got a card of Inspector Wilbraham's of the Yard in my pocket," Albert suggested. "We might use that, and make out that this purchase of chloroform under a false name had got to be explained to the Yard instantly."

Albert had recently become rather intimate with Scotland Yard. Inspector Wilbraham had even called on him in reference to Bentley's death and the disappearance of Brown; and Albert was duly proud.

"We will try that," said Hugo. "Have you any handcuffs?"

"No, sir."

"Go and obtain a couple of pairs. You can be back in 20 minutes. Bring also my revolver."

Hugo and Simon were left alone. Hugo spoke no word.

"I'll put the room to rights, sir," said Simon, after a pause. He could bear the inaction no longer.

Hugo nodded absently, and Simon collected the ruins of the vile repast which his master had consumed, and put them outside on a tray on the landing.

"There's a light now in the first story!" exclaimed Hugo. "I hope that boy won't be long."

And then Albert arrived with the revolver and the handcuffs. He had been supernaturally quick.

They descended and crossed the road.

"You understand," Hugo instructed them. "Let us have no mistake about getting in. Immediately the door is opened, in we all go. We can talk inside."

"Supposing Albert and me went down to the area door," Simon ventured, "instead of the front door. We might get in easier that way. It's always easier to deal with servant girls and persons of that sort in kitchens. Then we could come upstairs and let you in at the front door. Three detectives seem rather a lot to be entering all at once. And, besides, you don't look like a detective, sir."

"What do I look like?" Hugo asked.

"You look too much like a gentleman, sir. It's the hat, sir," he added.

Simon had certainly surpassed himself that day. He had begun by surpassing himself at early morning, and he had kept it up.

Probably never before in his life had he been so loquacious and so happy in his loquacity.

"That's not bad scheme, Simon," said Hugo. "Try it."

The brothers went down the area steps, while Hugo remained at the gate. A light burned steadily in the first-floor window.

And then another and fainter light flickered in the [illegible] and after a few seconds the front door opened. Hugo literally jumped into the house, and, safely within, he banged the door.

"Now," he said.

A middle-aged woman, holding a candle, stood by Simon and Albert in the hall.

"Are you the servant?" Hugo demanded.

"No, sir; I'm the landlady. And I'd like to know"——

"Your husband told me you were away and wouldn't return till tomorrow."

"Seeing as how my husband's been dead these 13 years"——

"We're in, sir. We'd better search the house to start with," said Albert. "There's three of us. The man that opened the door to you must have been a wrong un, one of him."

"Never have I had the police in my house before," wailed the landlady of No. 23, Horseferry road, while the candle dropped tallow tears on the oilcloth.

"And all I can say is I thank the blessed Lord it's dark, and you aren't in uniform. Dr. Woolrich's rooms are on the first floor, and you can go up and see for yourself, if you like. And how should I know he wasn't a real doctor?"

As the landlady spoke, sounds of footsteps made themselves heard overheard, and a door closed.

"Give me that candle, my good woman," said Hugo, hastily snatching it from her.

The three men ran upstairs, leaving the hall to darkness and the landlady.

Whether Hugo dropped the candle in his excitement, or whether it was knocked out of his hand by means of a stick through the rails of the landing bannister as he ascended, will never be accurately known.

He himself is not sure. The important fact is that the candle fell, and the trio stumbled up the last few stairs with nothing to guide them but a chink of light through a half-closed door.

This door led to the rooms of Dr. Woolrich, and the rooms of Dr. Woolrich were well lighted with gas. But they were empty.

There was a sitting room and a bedroom, and on the round table in the center of the sitting room was a copy of the most modern edition of Quain's "Dictionary of Medicine," edited by Murray, Harold and Bosanquet, bound in half-morocco; the volume was open at the article "Anesthetics," and Hugo will always remember that the page was 62.

No sooner were the rooms found to be empty than Hugo rushed back to the landing, following by Simon. The landing, however, even with the sitting room door thrown wide and the light streaming across the landing and down the stairs, showed no signs of life.

Then Albert, who had remained within the suite, called out:

"There must be a dressing room off this bedroom, and it's locked."

"Simon," said Hugo, "go to the front window and keep watch."

And Hugo ran into the bedroom to Albert.

Decidedly there was a door in the bedroom which had the appearance of leading into a further room, but the door would not budge.

The pair glanced about. No evidence of recent human habitation was visible either in the sitting room or in the bedroom, save only the dictionary, and Albert commented on this.

"We must force that door," Hugo decided, "and be ready to look after yourself when it gives way."

As he spoke he could see, in the tail of his eye, Simon opening the front window and then looking out into the street.

"One—two—charge!" cried Hugo; and he and Albert flung themselves valiantly against the door. They made no impression upon it at all. Breathless and shaken, they looked at each other.

"Suppose I fire into the lock?" said Hugo.

"We might try a key first," Albert answered.

He took the key from the door between the bedroom and the sitting room and applied it to the lock of the obstinate portal. The obstinate portal opened at once.

"Empty!" ejaculated Albert, putting his nose into a small dressing room.

With a gesture of disgust Hugo turned away. In the same instant Simon withdrew his head into the sitting room.

"I've seen him," Simon whispered in hoarse excitement. "He just popped out of the kitchen and came half-way up the area steps. Then he ran back. He saw me looking at him."

"Ravengar?"

Simon nodded. This was the hour of Simon's triumph, the proof that he had not been mistaken in the theory which he had raised on the foundation of the photograph.

"Come along," said Hugo grimly, preparing to rush downstairs.

But a singular thing had occurred.

While Simon had been staring out of the front window, and Hugo and Albert engaged in forcing a door which led to emptiness, the door of the sitting room, the sole means of egress from the first-floor suite, had been shut and locked on the outside.

In vain Hugo assailed it with boot and shoulder; in vain Albert assisted him.

"Keep your eye on the street, you fool!" said Albert to Simon, when the latter offered to join the siege of the door.

Hugo and Albert multiplied their efforts.

"There's a cab driven up," Simon informed them from the window. "A man's got out. Now he's gone down the area steps. They're carrying something up, something big. Oh, look here, I must help you."

And Simon ran to the door. Before the triple assault it fell at last, and the three tumbled pell-mell downstairs into the hall. The front door was open.

A cab was just driving away. It drove rapidly, very rapidly.

"After it!" Hugo commanded.

The hunt was up.

Two minutes afterward another cab drove up to the door.

Ravengar and another man emerged from the area holding between them the form of a woman. They got leisurely into the cab with the woman and departed.

CHAPTER XXV.

The Cemetery.

BOTH Simon and Albert easily outran Hugo, and, fast as the first cab was traveling, they had gained on it by the time it turned into Victoria street.

And at the turning an incident happened. The driver, though hurried, was apparently to a certain extent careful and cautious, but he did not altogether avoid contact with a policeman at the corner.

The policeman was obliged to step sharply out of the way of the cab, and even then the sleeve of his immaculate tunic was soiled by contact with the hind wheel of the vehicle.

Now, the driver might have scraped an ordinary person with impunity, and passed on unchallenged; he might even have soiled the sleeve of a veteran policeman and got nothing worse than a sharp word of censure and a fragment of good advice.

But this particular policeman was quite a new policeman, whose dignity was as delicate and easily smirched as his beautiful shining tunic. And the result was that the cabby had to stop, give his number and listen to a lecture.

Simon and Albert formed part of the audience for the lecture. It did not, however, interest them, for they had instantly perceived that the cab was empty.

Then, as the lecturer was growing eloquent, Hugo arrived, and was informed of the emptiness of the vehicle.

"It was just a trick," Simon exclaimed; "a trick to get us out of the house."

"We must go back," said Hugo.

At this moment the second cab appeared, was delayed a moment by the multitude listening to the lecture, and passed westward into Victoria street.

"They're in that!" cried Simon.

"Are you sure?" Hugo questioned.

"Of course I'm sure," said Simon, who, in the excitement of the trail, had ceased to be a valet.

To jump into a hansom and order the driver to keep the four-wheeler in sight ought to have been the work of a few seconds; but it occurred, as invariably occurs when a hansom was available. The four-wheeler was receding at a moderate rate in the direction of the Grosvenor Hotel.

"Run after it!" said Hugo. "I'll get a cab in the station yard and follow."

The quarry vanished around a corner just as they tumbled into the hansom on the top of Hugo, but it was never out of observation for more than a quarter of a minute.

Through divers strange streets it came at length into Fulham road at Elm place, and thenceforward, at a higher rate of speed, it kept to the main thoroughfare. The procession passed the workhouse and the Redcliffe Arms.

Between Edith Grove and Stamford Bridge the roadway was up for fundamental repairs, and omnibuses were being diverted down Edith Grove to King's road.

A policeman at the corner spoke to the driver of the four-wheeler, gave a sign of assent, and the four-wheeler went straight onward into a medley of wood blocks, which was all that was left of Fulham road.

The hansom followed intrepidly, and then its three occupants were conscious of a sudden halt.

"Eobby wants to know where you're going to," said the driver, opening the trap.

There was a slight hesitation, and the policeman's voice could be heard:

"Come out of it!"

"We're following that four-wheeler," Hugo was about to say, but he perceived the absurdity of saying such a thing in cold blood to a policeman.

All three descended. The cabman had to be paid. There was a difficulty about finding change—one of those silly and ridiculous difficulties that so frequently supervene in crises otherwise grave; in short, a succession of trifling delays, each of which might easily have been obviated by perfect forethought, or by perfect accord between the three men.

When next they came to close quarters with the four-wheeler it was leisurely driving away empty from a small semi-detached house which was separated from the road by a tiny garden.

They ran into the garden. The one thing that flourished in it was a "To Let" notice. The front door, shaded by unpruned trees, was shut, and there were cobwebs on the handle, as Hugo plainly saw when he struck a match.

They hastened round to the back of the house, where was a larger garden. A French window gave access to the house. This French window yielded at once to a firm push.

The three men searched the ground floor and found nothing. They then ascended the stairs and equally found nothing. The house must have been empty for many months. From the first-floor window at the back Hugo gazed out, baffled. Far off he could see lights of houses, but the foreground was all darkness and mystery.

"What lies between us and those lights?" he asked

"It must be Brompton Cemetery, sir," said Albert. "The garden gives on the cemetery, I expect."

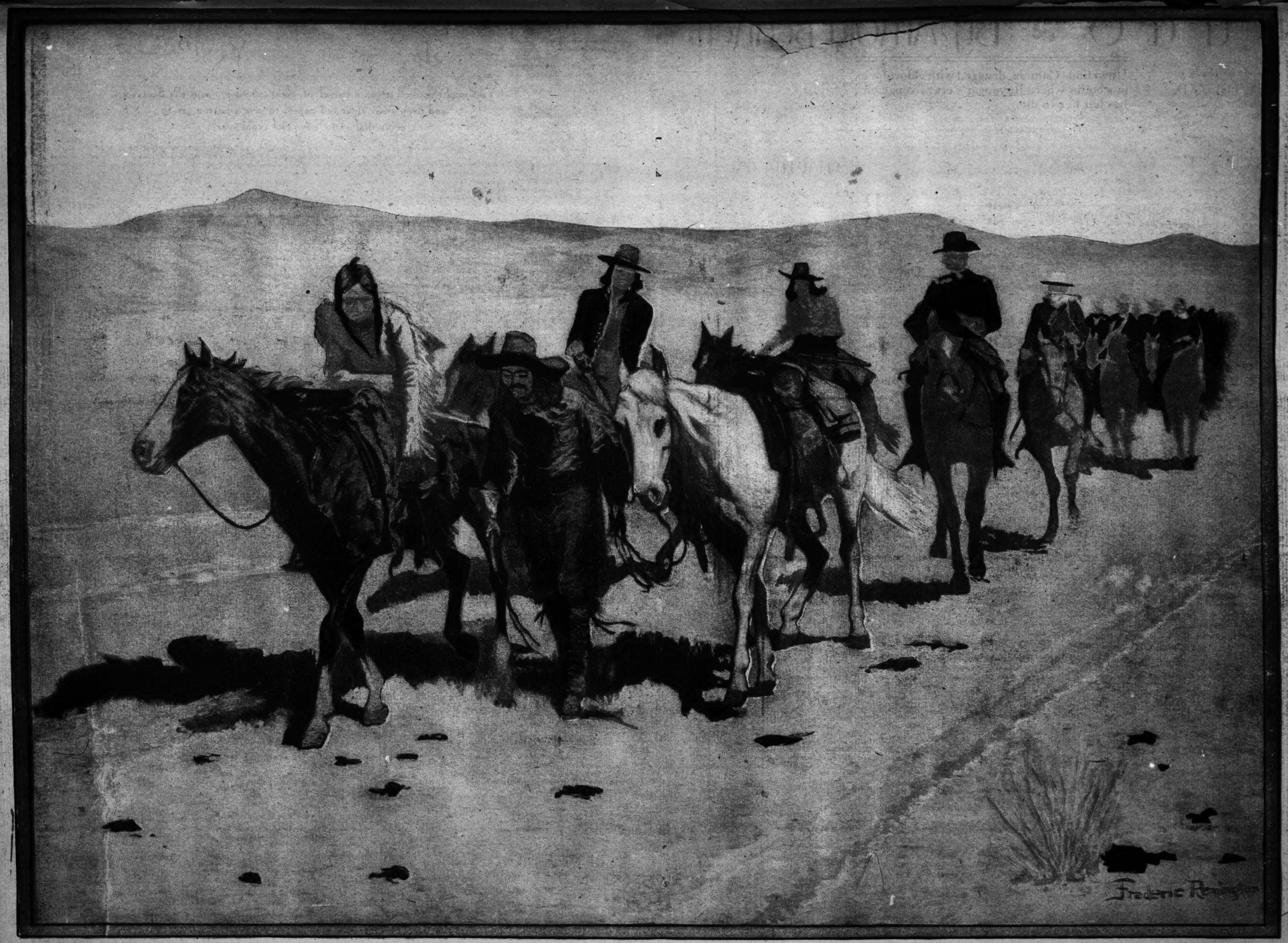
As if suddenly possessed by a demon, Hugo flew out of the room, down the stairs, into the garden.

At the extremity of the garden was a brick wall, and against the wall were two extremely convenient barrels; they might have been placed there specially for the occasion.

In an instant he was in the cemetery.

The remainder of the adventure survives in Hugo's

Mrs.
Carl R. Gray
and Gladys Ethel



Pony Tracks in the Buffalo Trails

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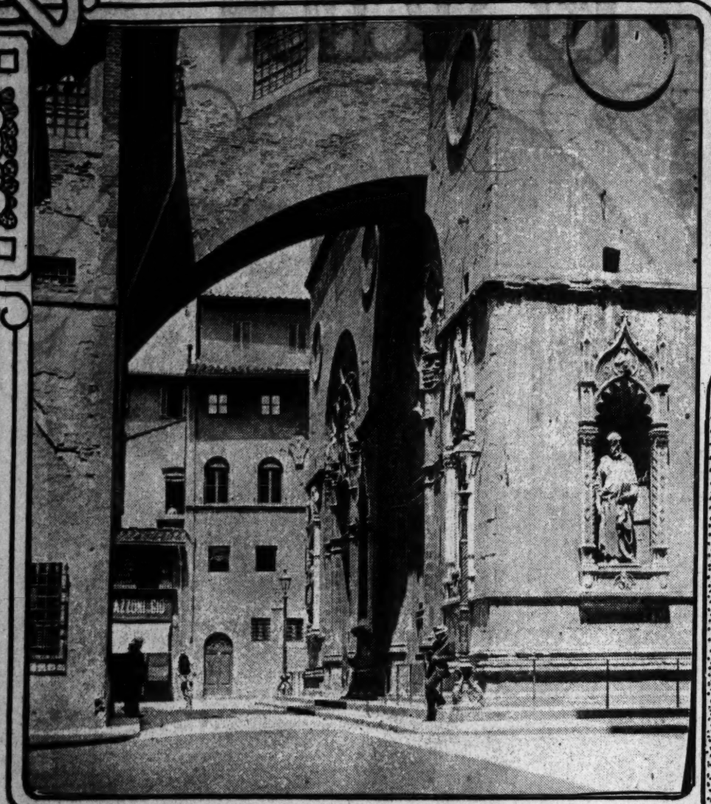
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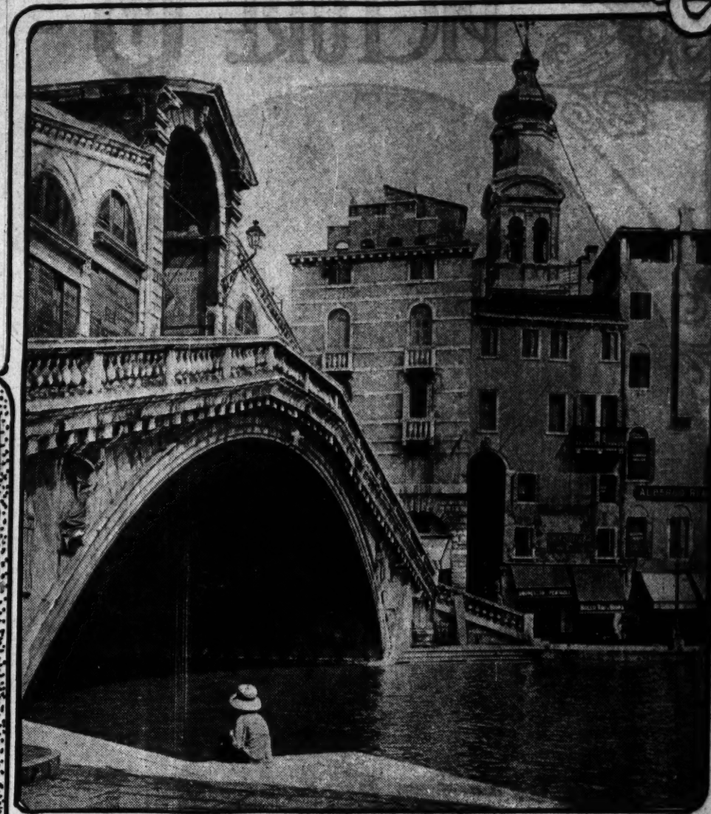
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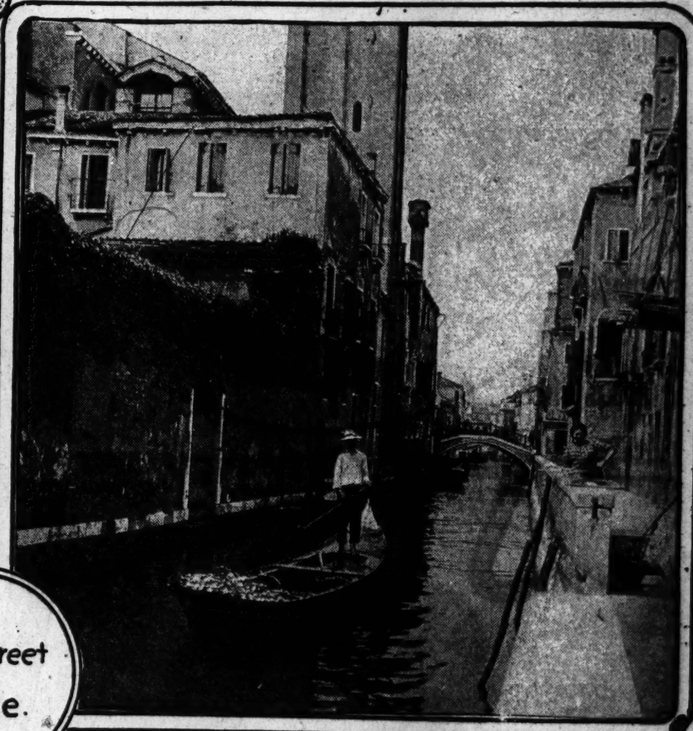


Rialto Bridge-Venice.



Interior of Rialto Bridge Venice.

A side street in Venice.





A Venetian Aspect.



Island of Burano-Venice.



Remarkable photograph of wild ducks—mostly mallards—made in the Wichita National Game Preserve, Oklahoma.



N.Y. Customs inspector removing forbidden feathers from a tourist's hat.



Arctic sledge, used by Capt. Scott, presented to the English warship Vernon of which the heroic explorer was once an officer.

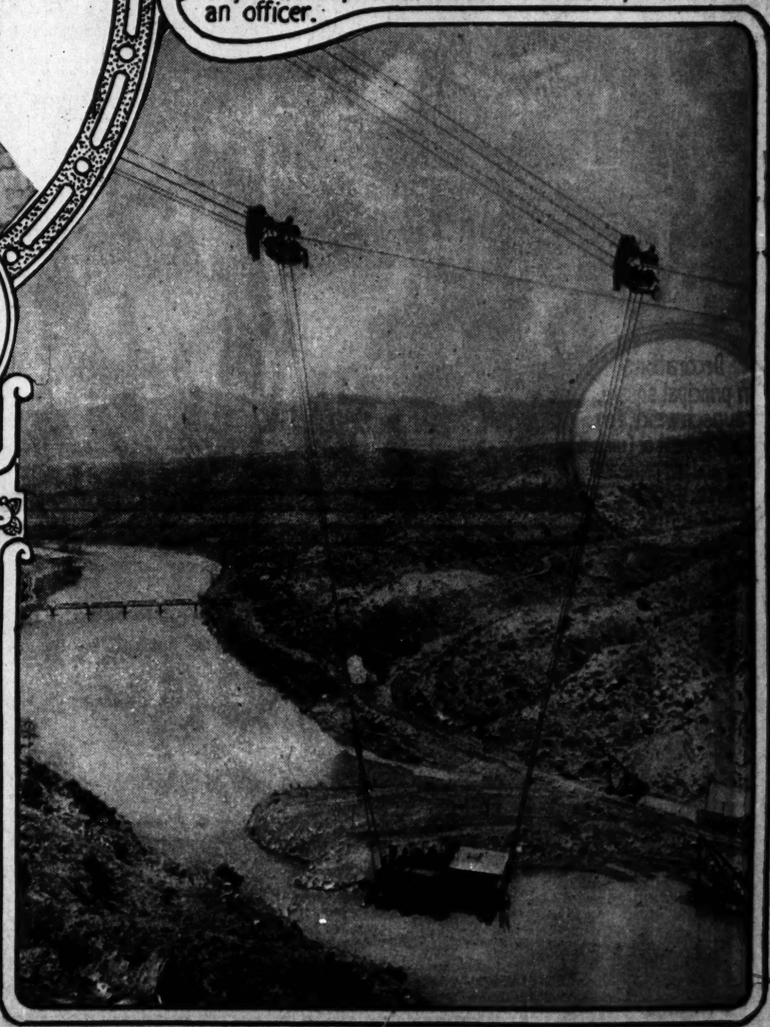


Mayor-Elect and Mrs. Mitchel, sailing from New York for Panama.



Mrs. Bird S. McGuire, wife of the Oklahoma congressman, who has begun to study law.

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Swinging a 20-ton engine across a canyon at Elephant Butte, Rio Grande River, New Mexico.



The Duchess of Marlborough (Consuelo Vanderbilt) asking a butcher to vote for her candidate in a municipal election.

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When the Kaiser Goes Hunting



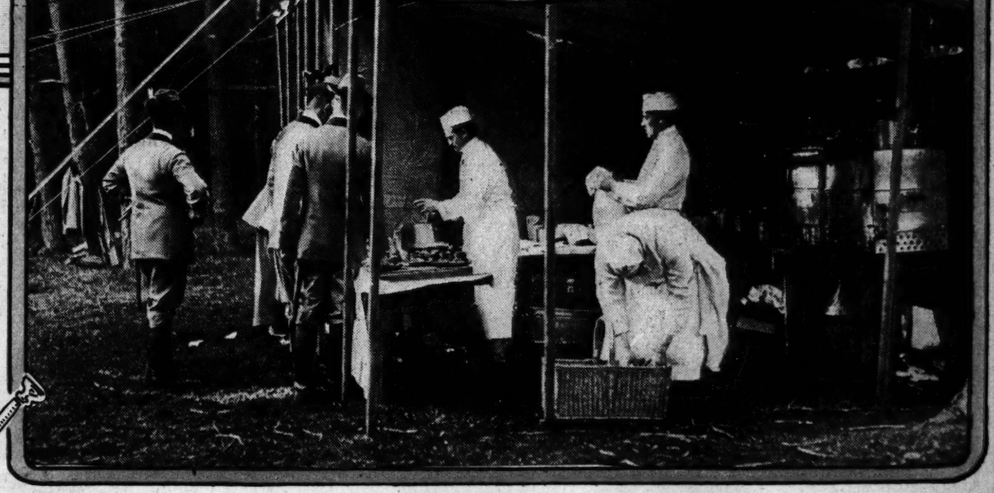
The Kaiser and his guest the Archduke Ferdinand arrive in a limousine.



The Kaiser brings down a rare game-a wild goat.

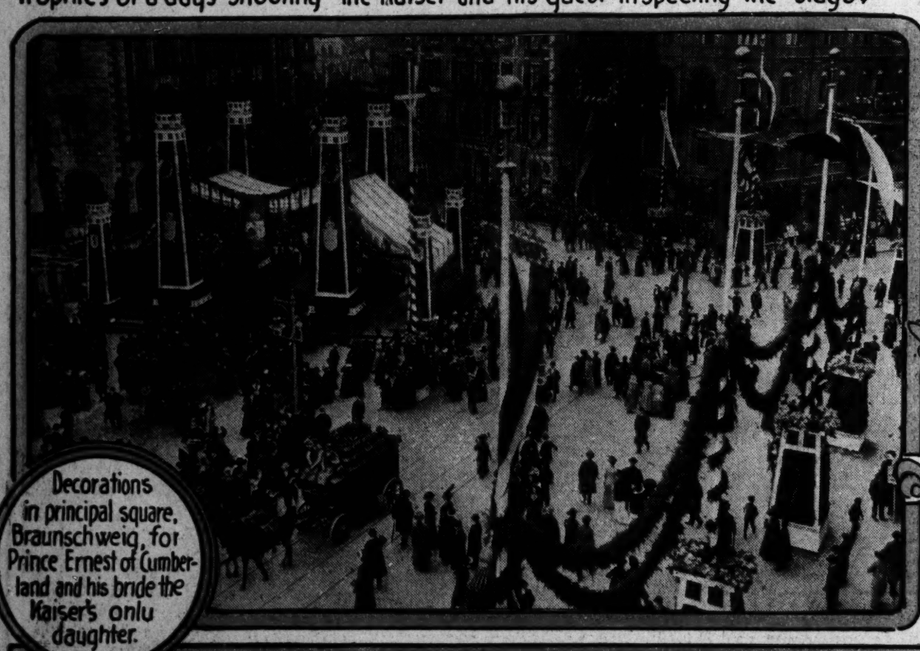


Trophies of a day's shooting-The Kaiser and his guest inspecting the stags.



The royal kitchen in the woods.

Welcome Home for the Rulers of a Duchy.



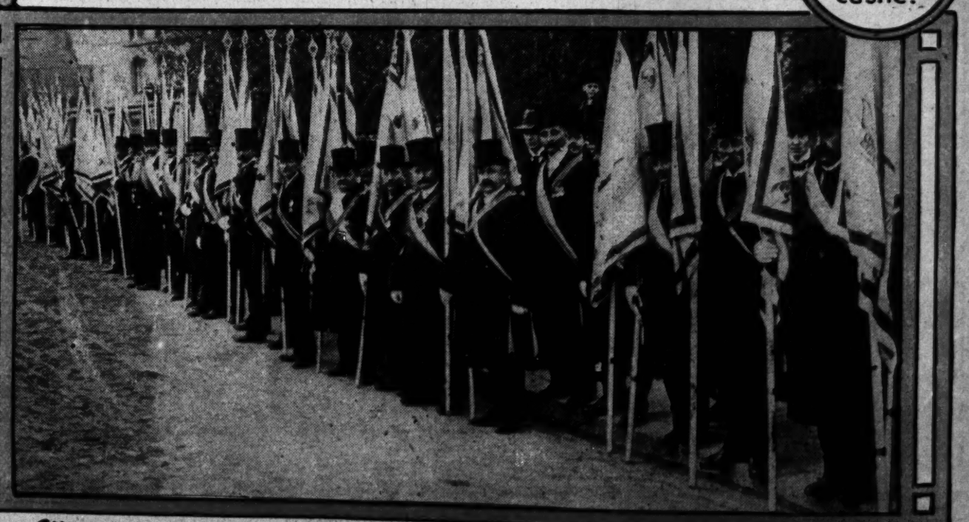
Decorations in principal square, Braunschweig, for Prince Ernest of Cumberland and his bride the Kaiser's only daughter.



Part of the crowd at the castle.



The new ducal pair in the streets of Braunschweig



Citizens with flags waiting to salute the reigning duke and his consort.

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Hawkshaw the Detective and the Duke of Dottingham

























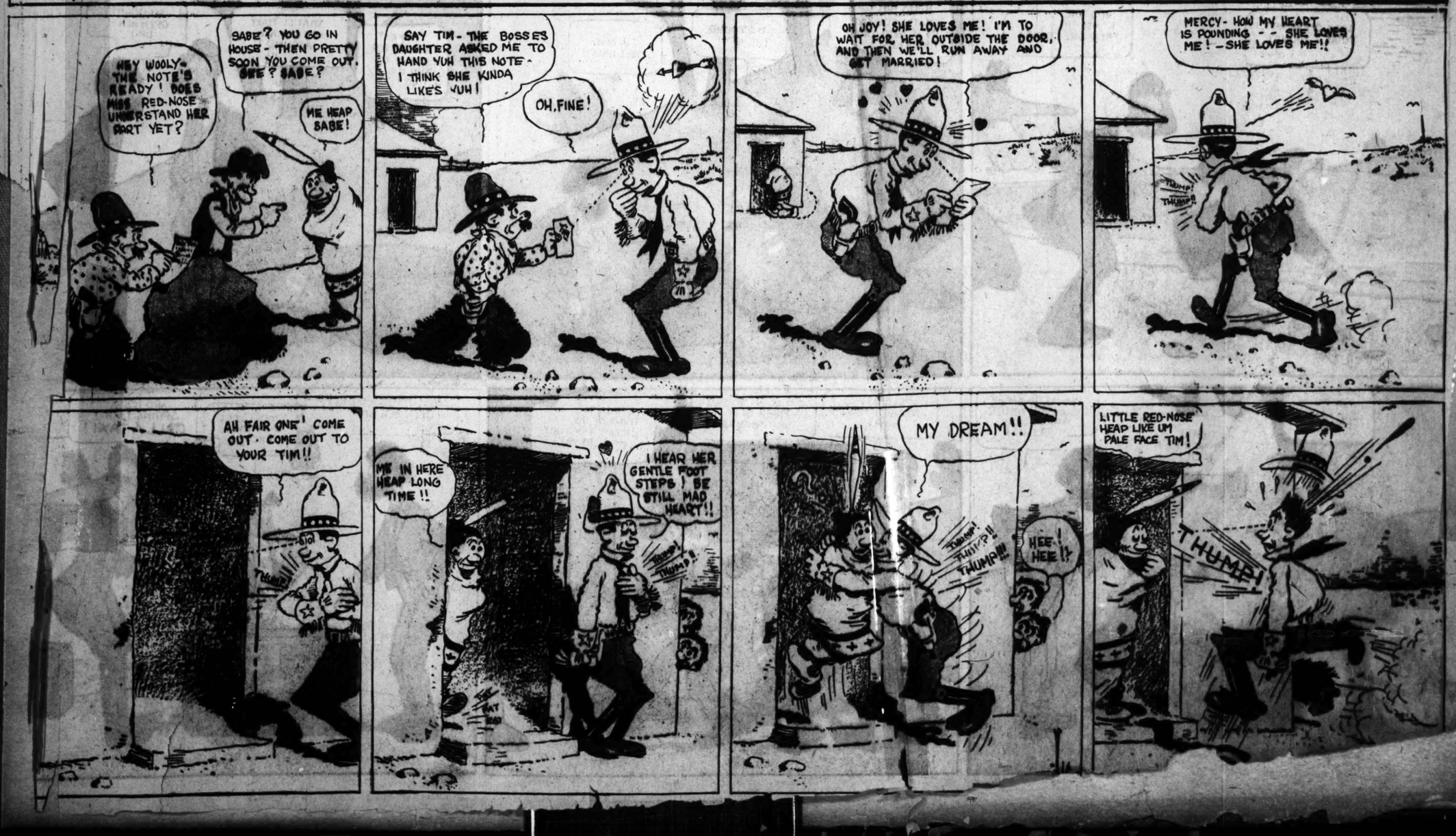
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